EXAMINER OF BANK HELD IN BOND THEFT

LLOYD CROWTHER

State examiner accused of stealing Liberty Bond while inspecting affairs of Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company. Picture shows him leaving police headquarters on way to court. He has been suspended from service pending the outcome of his case.

Bank Commissioner Joseph C. Allen today suspended Lloyd Crowther, assistant State Bank Examiner, following the arrest of Crowther in a case involving a stolen $500 bond.

Mr. Allen said the suspension would continue until the determination of Crowther's guilt or innocence.

Failure to disguise the letters "r" and "n" in an alleged signature exchanging a stolen $500 bond for bonds of a smaller denomination led to the arrest of Crowther.

He was arrested at his home, No. 135 West Concord street, South End, accused of theft from the vaults of a bank he examined eight months ago.

Crowther was arraigned on a larceny charge before Judge Mahon in Superior Criminal Court. He pleaded not guilty and furnished bail of $1,000. Date for trial was not set.

It was while engaged with others in making a regular inspection of affairs of the Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Company, No. 100 Franklin street, that he is accused of taking the bond.

The police say that shortly after the crime Crowther deposited $400 to his personal bank account. The Bank Commissioner, upon report of the larceny and when bank officials declared that the bond was missed when the official examination had been concluded, called in the Attorney-General.

The stolen bond was discovered in the Boston Federal Reserve Bank, where it had been exchanged for five $100 bonds. The printed form required in such transactions had been made out and signed by "Frank J. Styles."

THE WEATHER

Boston and Vicinity: Unsettled, probably snow or rain late tonight or Tuesday; slowly rising temperature; increasing easterly winds.
Sun rises at 6:48; sets at 5:15.
Moon rises at 4:27 a. m.
High tide at 8:36 a. m.; 9:13 p. m.
Temperatures: Maximum, 24 at 1 a. m.; minimum, 18 at 7 a. m.; average 21.
Light all vehicles at 5:49 p. m.

CAMBRIDGE FIREBUG HUNT

Today By ARTHUR BRISBANE SEE PAGE THREE

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MILLIONAIRE WEDS NURSE

FRENCH AND GERMAN TROOPS DIE IN CLASH

FAIR PEGGY SLAPPED SPAULDING

Boston Youth Laid Up Two Days After Row With Heart-Breaker in Cafe

Dancing with Evans Spaulding in the Montmartre Cafe in New York, Peggy Hopkins Joyce suddenly stopped in the middle of a two-step with variations, and soundly slapped the face of the young Boston captain of marines.

She then scratched his face until the blood ran.

There followed a discussion which almost resulted in a riot call being sent out.

But young Spaulding harbors no resentment.

DENIES HE'S EXILED.

The principal reason he cannot marry Peggy, he admitted to a reporter of the Boston American, just before he sailed for London, is because she is already engaged to marry a wealthy New Yorker. And when Peggy marries 'em, he said, she marries 'em for their money.

Aboard the Cunard liner Andania

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6 Doctors Refuse to Leave Warm Bed; Woman Dies

Westfield, Feb. 12.—Indignation reached a high pitch today over the death of Mrs. Michael J. Conway, who, it is alleged, died through the refusal of six physicians to come to her aid. The six physicians refused to leave their beds at an early hour when summoned by the woman's husband.

A woman physician, Dr. T. M. MacCormack, was finally secured, but Mrs. Conway died before the physician reached her.

FORMER HUB PASTOR AT VATICAN FETE

Rome, Feb. 12.—The first anniversary of the consecration of Pope Pius was celebrated today with a pontifical mass in the Sistine Chapel, at which Cardinal Bonzano officiated. The pontiff was present, with members of the Sacred College, the Vatican diplomatic corps and numerous prelates of high rank. Among the last were Archbishop Fumasoni-Biondi, the new apostolic delegate to the United States; Monsignor O'Hern, rector of the American College and Dr. John Mullen, former rector of Boston Cathedral.

LAWRENCE MENACED BY FLAMES

Business Section of the City Threatened When Furniture Shops Burn

Lawrence, Feb. 12.—A general alarm fire today threatened the business district, drove hundreds of persons from tenement houses and caused damage estimated at more than $250,000.

Two twelve-inch brick walls stopped the flames from spreading to two wooden buildings ad-

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London, Feb. 12—(By the Associated Press)—A Central News dispatch from Berlin today says two French soldiers and one German were killed in a clash at Gelsenkirchen, in the Ruhr, today, when German soldiers halted a motor car containing French soldiers.

A Frenchman shot one member of the holdup party, the dispatch said. The other Germans retreated with their rifles at ready, but additional Germans appeared and the fighting was resumed, it was added.

The reports did not indicate whether order was restored.

MILLIONAIRE IS MARRIED TO HIS NURSE

Fitchburg, Feb. 12.—J. Lovell Johnson, millionaire president of the Iver Johnson Arms & Cycle Works, prominent Mason and active in Republican State and national politics, was quietly married in St. Bernard's rectory today to Miss Margaret M. Dwyer, trained nurse and devout Catholic, who nursed Mr. Johnson through critical illness a year ago. He is forty-six years old; she is about thirty-two.

The wedding plans were kept secret. Mr. Johnson's increasing attentions to Miss Dwyer had given rise to report recently that he was wooing her. But a relative of the bride, who was asked last week if there was any truth in the report, denied it.

Mr. Johnson is a childless widower. His first wife, who was formerly Marion Starr, died of influenza in the epidemic of 1918. Since then Mr. Johnson has occupied a suite in the Johnsonia Hotel here.

HOW ROMANCE BEGAN.

It was there that he was stricken seriously ill a year ago, when Miss Dwyer, known as one of the most efficient nurses in this section, was called in by the attending physician to care for the wealthy manufacturer.

With the news of the wedding came immediate report that Mr.

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STOCK MARKETS ARE CLOSED ON HOLIDAY

Boston and New York stock markets were closed today on account of Lincoln's Birthday, which is a legal holiday in New York State.

France May Declare War on Germany

Paris, Feb. 12. (By the Associated Press).—Premier Poincare is understood to be very sensitive as to public opinion abroad regarding the seizure of the Ruhr, feeling acutely the criticisms voiced in the United States and England following each protest of the German government against measures which it declares illegal.

Those who take an aggressive stand hold a state of war, which would not necessarily mean the opening of hostilities, would give France a freer hand in putting an end to the repeated resets of Germany.

It is considered there is ample ground for declaring a state of war in these facts:

That Germany has practically torn up the Treaty of Versailles, and thus destroyed the peace status.

That the principal political issue in Germany lately turned upon the

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CAMBRIDGE FIREBUG IS SOUGHT

State Police Asked to Probe Two Blazes That Routed 27 Families

Chief John M. Casey of the Cambridge Fire Department today asked the State fire marshal to investigate two fires that drove twenty-seven families to the street and led to Lieutenant James McCabe of Engine 6 being injured by a falling ladder.

One of Massachusetts avenue and Dunster street, Harvard square, was "decidedly suspicious" in the opinion of the chief, and, because it started during the time firemen were at No. 851 Massachusetts avenue, he thought there might be a connection between them.

This theory was strengthened by the fact that apparatus was recalled to the apartment house a second

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75 DEATHS IN LAWRENCE DUE TO SHORTAGE OF COAL

Lawrence, Feb. 12.—Lack of coal killed more than seventy-five persons here in forty days.

The cold season of 1923 will live in history as Lawrence's "Black Winter" unless "action, not talk," becomes the immediate program of civic defence.

In forty days, 1923, 106 deaths from pneumonia!

In forty days, 1922, 31 deaths from pneumonia!

In forty days a death difference of 75 humans!

"This terrible scourge is directly traceable to lack of coal," declares William P. Hale, recorder of the Board of Health, who has given these facts to the Boston American. He says his city is at a serious crisis. He plans to go before his board and plead "for God's sake and in the name of mercy" for ACTION.

"We have had enough statistics.

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BOSTON-BOUND SHIP ADRIFT IN MID-ATLANTIC

With her steering gear broken down, her lifeboats smashed and three of her crew seriously injured by heavy seas, the American steamship Aledo is drifting helplessly in mid-ocean, en route from Helsingfors to Boston. Word of the steamer's plight was received today by wireless. The vessel was then in latitude 44.50 north, longitude 33.47 west. She was last reported trying to make the Azores.

SNOW OR RAIN MAY BE ON HUB'S SCHEDULE

Snow or rain tonight or Tuesday "probably" reports the weatherman today. Rising temperatures and increasing easterly winds.

The unsettled weather will be the result of a disturbance now covering almost the entire country and central over Wyoming.

Temperatures were higher today in the interior and west and lower in the British Northwest, the lowest being 28 below at Prince Albert. The lowest in New England was 24 at 5 o'clock, from which it dropped to 18 at 7 o'clock.

MASSACHUSETTS BONDING and INSURANCE COMPANY.
HOME OFFICE, BOSTON

Financial Statement December 31, 1922
PAID-UP CASH CAPITAL $1,500,000.00

ASSETS

United States Government Bonds		$1,387,633.50
United States Government Certificates of Indebtedness		131,600.00
Federal Land Bank Farm Loan Bonds		86,850.00
Philippine Government Public Improvement Bonds		27,000.00
State and Municipal Bonds		1,647,100.00
Railroad Bonds		865,055.00
Miscellaneous Bonds		606,070.00
Bank and Other Stocks		557,690.00
Real Estate		402,000.00
Real Estate Mortgages		22,466.66
Unpaid Premiums:		
Subsequent to Oct. 1, 1922	$920,511.45	
Prior to Oct. 1, 1922	46,389.36	966,900.81
Cash in Office and Banks		868,476.17
Accrued Interest and Rents		60,072.97
Other Assets		156,793.81
Total Assets		$7,725,709.12

Deduct Items not admitted by Insurance Departments, viz.

Unpaid Premiums:		
Prior to Oct. 1, 1922	$46,389.16	
Other Assets	53,817.81	100,207.17
Admitted Assets		**$7,625,501.95**

LIABILITIES

Premium Reserve	$2,553,187.88
Reserve for Claims	1,968,885.86
Reserve for Taxes due in 1923	171,610.96
Reserve for Commissions	250,519.74
Reserve for Reinsurance	36,890.80
Reserve for Other Liabilities	18,896.43
Total Liabilities, Except Capital	$4,999,991.67
Cash Capital	$1,500,000.00
Surplus over Capital and all Liabilities	**1,125,510.28**
Surplus to Policyholders, Insurance Department Basis	**$2,625,510.28**
Total	**$7,625,501.95**

Gain in Surplus for the Year 1922, $420,523.07

T. J. FALVEY, President
C. W. FLETCHER, Comptroller-Asst. Treas.
JOHN T. BURNETT, Secretary-Treasurer

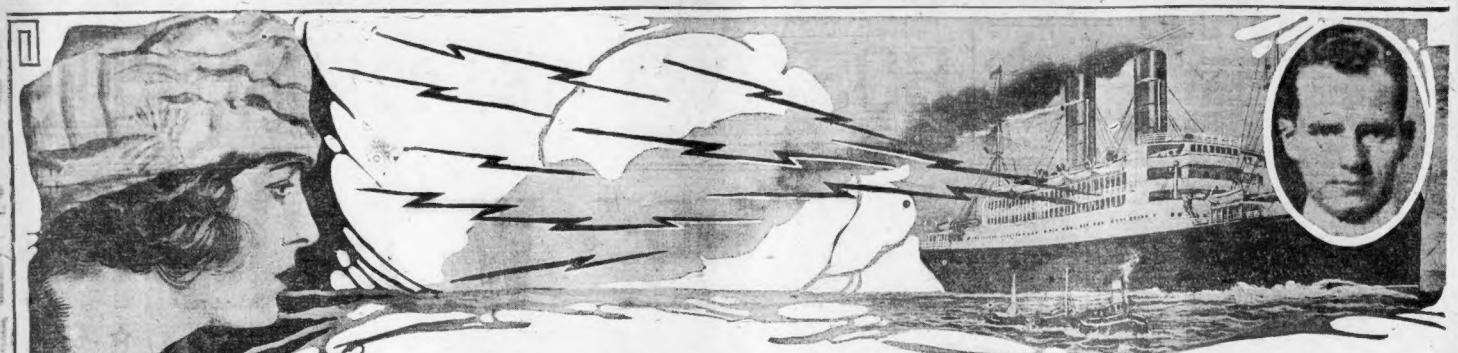
$50.00 PRIZE
OFFERED FOR A NAME

I have bought the VILLA NAPOLI PROPERTY at Nantasket, and after enlarging and remodelling it, and transforming its surrounding 15 acres into beautiful gardens, will open it this summer as the largest and most ornate country and seashore dining and dancing palace on the Atlantic coast, with most attractive accommodations for outings and banquets.

I want a suitable name. The name accepted will win a prize of $50.00. Address FRANK J. McFARE, 1949 Little Bldg.

WARD OFF INFLUENZA
FATHER JOHNS MEDICINE
GIVES STRENGTH

PEGGY SCRATCHED SPAULDING'S FACE AND BROKE UP DANCE



PEGGY HOPKINS JOYCE AND THE LAST VICTIM OF HER LOVE MAY BE LINKED BY RADIO

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Evans is tuning up the special radio set he has rigged up in his stateroom.

At the Copley Plaza today his mother, Mrs. Mary Evans Spaulding of Manchester-by-the-Sea, daughter the Cunard dock at East Boston,

of the former president of the Maine Central Railroad, denied that Evans rigged up the radio for the purpose of keeping in communication with Peggy, described by Mrs. Spaulding as "a beautiful boa constrictor."

Just before the boat sailed from

young Spaulding, who is sailing for London, denied that he had been hustled on board the boat by his mother in order that he might be removed from the temptation of permitting himself to be taken within the embrace of the "beautiful boa constrictor."

MYSTERY ON BOAT.

The last minute arrangements for passage, he said, was due to business reasons alone. His firm, Walker & Co. of Boston, wanted him to go to London right away.

Peggy Joyce Hopkins did not come to Boston merely to see him off, as had been stated by his mother. She came to see a friend here, and happening to run across him, visited the Spaulding suite at the Copley Plaza.

The beautiful "boa-constrictor," he said, would never be Mrs. Evans Spaulding.

"She certainly shall not!" snapped Mater Spaulding.

The interview took place in Spaulding's stateroom. An atmosphere of mystery hovered over the boat. It had communicated itself to the purser, who admitted to the reporter that an inquiry had been made as to whether or not Peggy Joyce Hopkins was on the boat.

IS "PEGGY" ABOARD?

"As far as I know, Miss Hopkins is not aboard," the purser told the American reporter. "I happen to know her quite well, and if she were here we would all know it."

He declined to explain this rather cryptic statement.

But if Peggy did get on board she accomplished a miracle. The watchful mother of the young Bostonian brought him to the dock in a cab. She went with him to his stateroom. She guarded him there until thirty seconds from the time the gangplank was withdrawn. She watched with eagle eyes everybody who came anywhere near the stateroom.

It was only when the last call came—"All ashore who're going ashore!"—that Mrs. Spaulding finally left the side of her boy. She whispered last instructions in his ear.

"Don't worry, mother, I won't," Evans said.

And the boat sailed.

TO WED CROESUS.

But before the Andania started placing the Atlantic Ocean between Evans Spaulding and Peggy Hopkins Joyce, the young man gave the real reason why the thrice-divorced young woman could never become Mrs. Spaulding.

"She's going to become Mrs. Somebody Else," Evans said. "At the present time she's engaged to a New York millionaire. She wouldn't marry any man who didn't have loads of money. I haven't got much.

"I've no illusions in the matter. She's been perfectly frank about it. She told Joyce she was marrying him for his money. And she told him right to his face that he was going to have a rough time of it with her. That's Peggy. Honest all over. Not half as bad as she's painted."

"I guess," observed Mrs. Spaulding icily, "you've forgotten the time you were dancing with that woman in the Montmartre in New York, and she suddenly stopped and scratched your face so badly you had to stay indoors for two days?"

AVERS SHE'S "WILD."

"Oh, Peggy's a little wild," admitted Evans, crestfallen. "High spirited. Live. Full of animation. She thought I was looking at another girl. Rather inclined to resent that, in a way. She did maul me up a bit. But all in fun.

"No, I can't tell you the name of the man she's engaged to now. Wouldn't be clubby. It's Peggy's affair, not mine. And I want you to know that mother's reference to Peggy as a boa-constrictor are not my sentiments. She's a bit unconventional, Rather. But no boa-constrictor.

"No, I don't know just where Peggy is now. In New York. Don't know the address. Really not. I don't ever expect to see Peggy again, do I mother?"

"You do, but you won't," said Mrs. Spaulding. "Not if I have anything to do with it."

Peggy Began Marital Career at 16

Back in 1910—Peggy was then sweet sixteen—she met and married Everett A. Archibald. This alliance was formed after Peggy had inviahed her blandishments on her first legal victim from a telephone switchboard. The fashionable world heard much of her while she engineered a respite from these soon made irksome bonds.

Sherburne Philbrick Hopkins was the second rich man to espouse Peggy and that marriage gave her a place in the Washington social register. When "Sherry" went to war, Peggy discontinued (for the time being) her plans to get a divorce. When "Sherry" returned he made plans for freedom on his own account.

TWO SUICIDES ON LIST.

J. Stanley Joyce, the Chicago millionaire lumberman, was the next and last "official" man of Peggy.

But many have been the "unofficials." Two of these are said to have "ended it all" rather than to continue life without the means to step with "Million Dollar" Peggy. One of these was Sergeant Alexander MacClintock, who was seen much in Peggy's company and was found dead in a Turkish bath. His suicide, it was said, had to do with a shortage in the company "mess fund," which was under his supervision.

He and one other, the young Spanish nobleman of recent news accounts, were the only "fatalities" in the Peggy acquaintance list. But the "casualties" were frequent.

COST JOYCE MILLION.

For instance, young Spaulding had his face slapped, and J. Stanley Joyce testified that, besides the major operation given his backfoll, he received minor personal injuries in frequent spasms of Peggy-temper. Among the men whose names have been linked with that of the former manicure-show-girl are Peter C. Merillon, Maurice Mouvet, Henri Letellier, Barton French, the Duc De Dureal, Prince Viora and Joe Pani.

Peggy cost Husband Joyce a million in a year. This is believed to be the high-water mark hit in her career. But it is noteworthy that none of the men mentioned here is possessed of less than million.

WON LETELLIER.

Merillon is the son of a retired Paris banker, who inherited the millions of his mother, an American, formerly Miss Clinch. Mouvet danced his way to fame and fortune and was formally the partner and husband of Florence Walton. He is operating a profitable cafe in Paris today.

Henri Letellier owns the Paris Journal and much of Europe's principal gambling concessions. Those who know Letellier and his personal tastes point to Peggy's conquest of his heart as the most amazing accomplishment of her kaleidescoyle career.

Barton French is well known to the leisure sets of two continents. Except that he is a millionaire and then some, he is in a position somewhat similar to Evans Spaulding. He has a mother who is very devoted.

MOTHER INTERVENED.

When "Ma" French heard of Barton's affair with Peggy, she promptly ordered him home from Europe under threat of disinheritance. Barton came.

The Duke De Dureal had been accustomed long before he met Peggy to swap his dollars for thrills. They played together a while. Prince Viora, pretender to the Albanian throne, who married Helen Kelley Gould, was friendly with Peggy, and she is said to have evidenced some interest in Joe Pani after he made his millions in restaurants.

CRY OF 'PICKPOCKET' THEN A WILD DASH

Jacob Rubin, address unknown, was captured after a chase on Massachusetts avenue today by Patrolmen William Egan and Sergeant Charles Wallace of the traffic squad.

Rubin is charged with picking the pocket of William Reed of Sussex street and stealing $80. His yells of "pickpocket" on the street car caused considerable excitement as Rubin leaped and started to run. Scores of civilians joined the policemen in the chase. Rubin was cornered in an alley almost a mile away.

J. L. JOHNSON, MILLIONAIRE WEDS NURSE

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Johnson has been receiving instruction in the Catholic religion from one of the priests of St. Bernard's Church.

He is a Past Master of Charles W. Moore Masonic Lodge, a Scottish Rite Mason 32d degree and Knight Templar, and is an Episcopalian.

The wedding was performed by the Rev. H. J. Hackett of St. Bernard's Church.

Miss Anna Hoban of Clinton was bridesmaid. J. Raymond Dwyer, proprietor of Hotel Raymond, and uncle of the bride, was best man.

GO WEST ON HONEYMOON.

About a dozen relatives and intimate friends of the couple were present at the ceremony and at the wedding breakfast which followed at Hotel Raymond. Then Mr. Johnson and his bride departed on a honeymoon trip westward.

The bride is the daughter of a well known local contractor and one of the leading members of Fitchburg Nurses' Association.

Mr. Johnson, native of Worcester, is the son of the late Iver and Mary Elizabeth (Spiers) Johnson. He was graduated from Fitchburg High School and Worcester Polytechnic Institute. He is a director in several banks and insurance companies. He was a Fitchburg Alderman 1901 to 1903, State Senator 1907-1908 and member of the Governor's Council 1909-1910.

He is a member of Worcester County Mechanics' Association, Fitchburg Board of Trade and Merchants' Association, Boston Athletic Association and the Home Market, Algonquin, Boston City, Tatnuit of Worcester, Fay, Alpine and Sportsman's of Fitchburg, Leominster Country, Wataitic of Ashburnham, and State and County Republican Clubs.

RUNAWAY TOSSES GIRLS IN SNOW BANK

Northampton, Feb. 12.—Who are the two Smith girls who were pitched head first from a runaway sleigh near here? They went sleighing and a snorting automobile frightened the staid Dobbin. He bolted. The girls shot into a snowdrift. Patrolman Thomas H. Long leaped for the horse's head as it raced past and was thrown. Commandeering an automobile Long gave chase and jumped from the running board to the horse's back. Fifty yards further the horse was stopped. The girls coyly thanked him.

FRENCH TANKS RUSHED TO NEW STRIKE CENTRE

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question whether the treaty should be compiled with, and that the opposition to compliance won.

That, finally, there is a resistance by the highest authorities in the German government to the application of the treaty.

"Any extreme measures are not regarded as imminent, as the French, it is declared, intend thoroughly to try out the plan of action they have undertaken under the treaty.

Dusseldorf, Feb. 12 (By the Associated Press)—Reports that the Germans are organizing a general strike at Herne, not far from Bochum, have led to the dispatch of French troops to that place.

The Germans are boycotting the forces of occupation throughout the Ruhr district, and the French have been obliged to take over the work of some of the German police.

The boycott, in fact, is becoming more and more popular throughout the Ruhr, and the Germans have decided to extend it to Essen, refusing to do business with the French and Belgians beginning today.

Commenting on the results of the first month of the occupation, General Degoutte told the correspondent that Germany "is branded as a quitter before the entire world."

"But I solemnly warn Germany," he continued, "that if a single one of my soldiers is harmed and she forces another battle on us she will not stay our hand by crying 'Kamarad.' It will be a fight to the finish—a complete knockout."

Today's News in Europe

IRELAND

Dublin.—Dr. Thomas O'Higgins, father of Minister of Home Affairs Kevin O'Higgins and brother-in-law of Governor-General Timothy Healy, was assassinated last night.

TURKEY

Constantinople. — Allied commanders declare Turkish threats to drive their warships from Smyrna at the end of another three days merely strengthens the determination of the allies to defend their positions if attacked.

FRANCE

Paris.—France has yielded to Belgium's insistence on more rigorous treatment of Germany. When Premier Poincare goes to Belgium this week details will be added to a stern economic, military program.

Only the youngest, tenderest leaves of the world's finest tea plants go into Tetley's Orange Pekoe. That's why it tastes so good.

TETLEY'S

Makes good TEA a certainty

Navy Pigeonholed 45 Inventions by Edison

West Orange, N. J., Feb. 12.—Thomas A. Edison inventor and electrical wizard, in one of his famous birthday interviews today revealed that he had stippled the United States navy with forty-five inventions during the World War, all of which were pigeonholed.

27 FAMILIES ARE DRIVEN OUT

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time and while the Harvard square blaze was still going. Then, too, the apartment fire was located in the front entry.

The Stephen Daye landmark, the home of the first American printer, was threatened at the Harvard square fire. A ladder raised to the third floor of the adjoining building slid from the roof and struck down McCabe as he was directing the play of hose lines.

The first fire did not cause more than $150 damage, but caused great clouds of smoke to fill the six-story building and at times it was feared would be overcome.

When Patrolmen Mellow and Healy raced through the halls spreading the alarm and the residents found the front way seemingly cut off, they climbed out to fire escapes and thence to the street. In all thirty-five or forty persons reached safety in this manner. Most of them carried valuables out with them.

Investigation disclosed that defective wiring under the front door was responsible for the fire, according to firemen. This ate out the vestibule entry, but did not extend back to the hall more than a few inches.

Before the firemen left the second blaze at Harvard square two companies were compelled to return to the apartment house to put out a second slight fire there.

The Harvard square fire started in the Harvard Square Spa at No. 1378 Massachusetts avenue and worked through No. 1376 and into the Daye house next door. This was the home of the first printer in America and bears a memorial plate on the side giving the dates 1638 to 1668. This house is famous throughout the country.

The flames caused damage to the Spa, John H. Derby, Inc., jewelry store, Harvard Florist Store and Harvard Shoe Shining parlor. The damage is expected not to exceed $5,000.

SPANKED WIFE OF WEYMOUTH DIVORCED

Mrs. Ida M. Haskell of Weymouth will not have to suffer again the indignity of being spanked by her husband when her actions do not suit him. Today Judge Lummus, sitting in the Dedham Superior Court, granted her a divorce from Leslie S. Haskell, a Canton garage owner.

Mrs. Haskell told Judge Lummus that her husband thought nothing of spanking her.

The two children, Edna, eight years old, and Edith, four years old, were awarded to the father with the understanding that Mrs. Haskell should be allowed to visit them at all reasonable times.

Mrs. Thomas W. Cassit of Wellesley was tendered a divorce from her husband and was awarded the custody of two children. Two other children were given to the father.

Testimony at the hearing revealed that Cassit beat his wife and drove past their house in an automobile with other women.

The suit of Anthony Rostefsky, eighty-eight-year-old tailor of Franklin against his wife Antonia, fifty years old, was dismissed.

Filene's Automatic Bargain BASEMENT

14 from a fire, slightly water damaged—also odd lots—TUESDAY

$3.95 Navy Poiret twill, gilt braid trimming (fire stock)

232 women's velours or serge dresses

$3.95 also Poiret twill five good styles

Tucks, pockets, fagotting effect, embroidered dot, navy, brown or reindeer—sizes 16 to 42 in lot. Dresses that if they hadn't been slightly hre hurt or surplus stocks you probably couldn't buy for dollars more—TUESDAY.

Don't be the 233rd woman if you expect to get one!

NO need to ask when prices are coming down—everybody knows they come down automatically in Filene's Basement.

25% after 12 selling days
50% after 18 selling days
75% after 24 selling days
Goods given away after 30 selling days

Example: women's coats automatically reduced 50% from $10 to $5

HUNDREDS OF OTHER LOTS—NO MAIL ORDERS

A Real Little Girl

Her mother posed her especially for us. And she begins each day by using

Malt Breakfast Food

Costs less than a cent a dish

Delicious because it is different. Ready to serve in 10 minutes.

Look for the Little Dutch Girl on every package.

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Burlington, Vermont

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TUESDAY

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'CRAZY,' SAYS DOCTOR'S SLAYER

Hub Soldiers, Home, Seek Jobs

Today

Two Birthdays
Two Skulls
A Little Advice
Take Care of the Farmer

—By Arthur Brisbane—

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EDISON'S birthday was celebrated yesterday. This is Lincoln's Birthday, two American names that Americans honor with pride.

No comparison is made, or necessary, between the two men. Lincoln preserved the nation with his goodness and courage. And gave his life at the end.

Edison has enriched the nation, giving his life to its service.

BOTH MEN traveled from childhood the same path of poverty, lacking what we call "opportunity and education." Both men were fortunate in being saved from false education and enfeebling opportunity.

THEY WORKED in fields as far apart as Mesopotamia and Illinois. Edison deserves to have his name coupled with Lincoln's because, like Lincoln, his name in history will stand the test of two questions:

Was he sincere?
Was he useful?

BOTH WILL be remembered as long as this period of history, this political and industrial phase of the ascent toward civilization, remains important in men's minds.

Compare the two faces. Both are "the American type." Lincoln has by far the more powerful chin, bigger ears, bigger nose, all strong points. That chin and nose indicate the power that carried him through the war, with his determination to win, even though it might be necessary to draw with the sword as much blood as had been drawn by the lash in slavery.

IN Edison the forehead dominates, and the cold, gray eyes below are the windows of a mind determined to have the light. Edison's forehead is higher, wider and straighter, up and down, than Lincoln's.

If the skulls of those men could be found ten thousand years hence, future scientists probably would rank Edison above Lincoln, as they now rank the cromagnon, with the perpendicular forehead, above his neanderthal brother. You cannot safely judge individual men by the shape of the skull. You can, however, judge a race by the average of its skull.

Give any anthropologist twelve skulls, six Caucasian, six African, taken at random, and he will instantly separate them.

LINCOLN saved this republic after Washington and others had established it. Edison and other men of genius have enriched it. Very able business men are building it up, industrially, financially, and taking the profit. In that there is no complaint. They take their profit only as far as the bank, not into the next world. From the bank it returns to industry, injuring, if anybody, the sons that inherit it for a short time.

THE INDUSTRIALISTS themselves, dreaming that they work for themselves, are nation builders. In the dark and in ignorance they work like tiny creatures that built the coral islands. Men live and palms grow on those islands now, and the little coral builders are gone. Real free men will live and civilization will blossom on top of the industrial structure that blind selfishness is now slowly pushing up through the waters of industrial selfishness.

THE builders have the power, and therefore the responsibility. Upon them, just now, rests the hope expressed in Lincoln's Gettysburg speech that the government maintained by him might not perish.

What powerful men, usually, most need, and least want, is advice.

Here is Lincoln's Birthday advice for those that rule the country:

TAKE CARE OF THE FARMERS. KEEP THEM SATISFIED. MAKE FARMING MORE AND MORE PROFITABLE AND ATTRACTIVE.

MODERN POWER has one nightmare—SOCIAL UNREST—the polite name for revolution. "Give me a little time, and I'll gather what I want."

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Coue's Book

SELF MASTERY
Through Conscious
AUTOSUGGESTION

Only Authorized Book by EMILE COUE

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If you have really made the auto-suggestion, that is to say, if your unconscious has assimilated the idea that you have presented to it, you are astonished to see the thing you have thought come to pass. (Note that it is the property of ideas auto-suggested to exist within us unrecognized and we can only know of their existence, by the effect they produce.). But above all, and this is an essential point, the **will must not be brought into play in practicing auto-suggestion**; for, if it is not in agreement with the imagination, if one thinks: "I will make such and such a thing happen," and the imagination says: "You are willing it, but it is not going to be," not only does one not obtain what one wants, but even exactly the reverse is brought about.

This remark is of capital importance, and explains why results are so unsatisfactory when, in treating moral ailments, one strives to *re-educate the will*. It is the *training of the imagination* which is necessary, and it is thanks to this shade of difference that my method has often succeeded where others—and those not the least considered—have failed. From the numerous experiments that I have made daily for twenty years, and which I have examined with minute care, I have been able to deduct the following conclusions which I have summed up as laws:

1. When the will and the imagination are antagonistic, it is always the imagination which wins, *without any exception*.

2. In the conflict between the will and the imagination, the force of the imagination is in *direct ratio to the square of the will*.

3. When the will and the imagination are in agreement, one does not add to the other, but one is multiplied by the other.

4. The imagination can be directed.

(The expressions "in direct ratio to the square of the will" and "is multiplied by" are not rigorously exact. They are simply illustrations destined to make my meaning clearer.)

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To Be Continued Tomorrow.

NEED WORK TO SUPPORT FAMILIES

Boys Back From Rhine Must Quit Army Because Their Pay Is Too Small

"Give us a job!"

This is the cry of seven Boston and New England soldiers included in a group of jobless warriors who have just returned to our shores on the U. S. transport St. Mihiel and are now quartered at Fort Hamilton, New York.

All are married. Some have children.

Among the 178 officers, non-commissioned officers and enlisted men whom the St. Mihiel carries to Brooklyn from Germany are 28 men who want work right away. Twenty-five of them are married. They must leave the army because the pay is insufficient, on American standards, to support their families.

The soldiers who seek work are to be discharged at Fort Hamilton tomorrow. Then they will be transferred for a week to Governor's Island, New York.

The Boston and New England men in the list, their addresses and occupations are:

SERGEANT RALPH BAILEY, twenty-eight, Portland, Me., married, teamster.

SERGEANT CHARLES W. REED, thirty, Chelsea, Mass., married, chauffeur.

KAZMIRE MAKOVISKI, twenty-eight, Lynn, Mass., married, clerk.

PETER J. MASON, twenty-two, Grafton, Mass., married, clerk.

WILLIAM B. WHEELER, thirty, Boston, Mass., married, two children, mechanic.

BARNEY DUSSAULT, twenty-eight, Lowell, Mass., married, mechanic, one child.

GEORGE H. COTES, twenty-two, Chicopee, Mass., married, machinist.

Private William B. Wheeler, of Boston, married Katherine Kolded in Coblenz. Their children are Annie, twenty-seven months, and Katherine eight months. Annie was the pet of the ship on the voyage from Germany.

Privates Barney Dussault of Lowell and Edward Biasha of Wisconsin married sisters in Germany and each has one child.

GOES ON TRIAL FOR KILLING DOCTOR

MRS. LILLIAN RAIZEN

Doughboys from Rhine Slip from Luxury to Poverty

By JULIAN D. CLAFF.

One of the soldiers who returned from Coblenz yesterday on the transport St. Mihiel. He was on the staff of the Amarac News, the newspaper of the American Army of Occupation.

New York, Feb. 12.—A room for a month, with light, heat and service, for ten cents.

It sounds like a dream. It was a reality. Looking back on it now it seems to have been a dream. For returning from Coblenz, we are confronted with a reality that makes these accommodations incredibly to those who have not been in Germany.

A meal that on Broadway would cost me $2.50 would not come to more than fifteen cents at the Y. M. C. A. cafeteria in Coblenz. We could taxi to a restaurant, if we chose one that far away, fifteen miles, and have to pay only the equivalent of one dollar.

That is the scale on which the men of the American Army of Occupation were able to live.

Don't get the idea that because things were cheap the doughboys squandered their money. On the contrary, they spent it with a sense of investment.

They invested in clothing, the prices of which will sound ridiculously cheap to you.

SIX SUITS COST $36.

I will run over a list of the articles I brought back as an example of how the doughboys spent their money.

My wardrobe includes six civilian suits at an average of about $6 a suit; two overcoats, one at $5, the other at $6; a dozen shirts, prices from 20 to 50 cents, depending on the grade of material and the maker; fourteen pairs of shoes, from $1 to $3.50 for the best; a set of golf clubs, $15; good hats at $1 each; a cowhide bag that would have cost me $60 on Broadway and which cost me $12.

Fine, completely equipped quarters were provided for married non-commissioned officers of the higher grades and their families by army authorities. Flats of these types, bare of furniture, could not be had in New York for less than $75 a month.

THEY HAD MAIDS.

It was a common thing for such a man to have a maid in the family's employ, and a soldier's pay, in terms of American dollars in America, certainly is not a lavish sum.

Fraternization was permitted, of course. Many of the men married into families of good quality—owners of hotels, merchants, cafe keepers and the like. Some entered families better than their own, in financial and social standing.

Every precaution was taken by the army to prevent unhappy unions. Investigators of the Bureau of Criminal Investigation looked into the history of every prospective bride.

ONE LAD'S RESCUE.

Before a soldier married he had to have the permission of his commanding officer.

There was the case of a soldier who told his officer he wanted to marry a certain girl. The investigation developed she had done time in prison, as had her father, all her brothers and all her sisters. Needless to say, he was grateful at being saved from marriage with her.

The soldier and the German populace were on friendliest terms. When the order came to prepare to leave the Germans were in anguish. They could not have felt more badly had their own kin left.

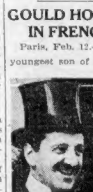
HAD GIFT FUND.

Of course, our men spent well with the merchants. And they were generous in their gifts of toys, food and clothing to the poor at Christmas and other holidays. Thousands of dollars were raised for a fund of this nature, and last Christmas it was about $2,000.

The doughboy who returns from Germany will be found to be a self-reliant American citizen. He learned self-reliance. Those who married realize they are faced with a responsibility of serious proportions and are anxious to get to work.

GOULD HONEYMOON IN FRENCH CHATEAU

Paris, Feb. 12.—Frank Jay Gould, youngest son of the late Jay Gould, who was married to Miss Florence Lacaze, well-known actor of the Gould country house.



Frank J. Gould

Photo by International News Reel

The couple retired to the chateau in Maisons Lafitte and have ordered the lodge keeper not to admit any one, not even their friends, for the next fortnight.

MAD WHEN LANE GIRL SHE SLEW QUITS HER DOCTOR HUSBAND

Mrs. Raizen, Facing Trial for Murder, Pleads for Jury That Understands

New York, Feb. 12.—A frail body strengthened, a weakened mind made healthy—a year in jail has done that for Mrs. Lillian Raizen, who on Tuesday goes to trial for the murder of Dr. Abraham L. Glickstein on December 10, 1921.

To the 110 pounds which constituted a physique weakened by worry and fear, the year in jail has added fifteen pounds.

To the mind which "was haunted and became temporarily insane," the year in jail has given alertness, keen wit and a desire to live.

For twelve months Mrs. Raizen in the Raymond Street Jail was required to keep regular hours. She had no other diversion, so she read, sewed, knitted and prepared her case. She has rebuilt her mind.

HEALTH ALSO RESTORED.

Prison rules required daily exercise. Mrs. Raizen performed her exercises conscientiously and rebuilt her body.

When she appears before Supreme Court Justice Cropsey in the Brooklyn Supreme Court tomorrow, Mrs. Raizen will tell the story of her relations with Dr. Glickstein, which culminated in temporary insanity, as she will plead, and resulted in her going to his office and fatally shooting him.

The proximity of her trial for life has within the last few days preyed on Mrs. Raizen's mind. In her cell she moans and sobs, prays and pleads that "the twelve men who try me will understand. She said:

"I would gladly give my eyesight to recall the shot that killed Dr. Glickstein. I was out of my mind as a result of suffering the tortures of the damned. I—well, they say I shot and killed him, but it was not I, Lillian Raizen, who did it. Had I been sane I would have realized that justice would have taken its course. His just punishment would have overtaken him, if not in this world, in the next."

ACCUSES PHYSICIAN.

Discussing Dr. Glickstein, Mrs. Raizen said:

"The average person knows how the members of any family regard the family physician. He is closer to them, I really believe, than a minister, or a lawyer. When he gives advice, it is a command. So, when I was small and at an impressionable age this doctor entered my life and dominated me. He took advantage of me. His terrible influence persisted throughout most of the balance of my life.

"I was unable to escape his influence. I did what he told me to do. He ruined me and my life and then, when I was on the point of marrying one of the finest men in the world, he ordered me to resume relations with him after I had succeeded in releasing myself from him. I refused. He threatened to expose me to my intended husband. I was desperate. I brooded and worried and I know that I lost my reason. I could not have the lights turned off at night. I feared to be alone. Had I been in my right mind I know I would never have shot and killed him.

"If I am found insane I will be committed to the asylum for the criminal insane at Dannemora, N. Y. I dread that. I am not insane now. I am sane. I am not afraid to die. I am afraid to live. I am afraid to go to Dannemora. I am afraid of the jury. I am afraid they will not understand."

Nancy Lane, Daughter of the Former Cabinet Member, May Go Into Movies

By Universal Service.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The pretty romance of the Wilson administration is shattered.

Nancy Lane, daughter of late Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane and wife of wealthy Philip C. Kaufmann, has quit her home here and with her mother returned to California.

They have definitely and permanently separated, Mr. Kaufmann said here.

CABINET BELLE.

Belle of the Cabinet and one of the most popular young women in Washington, her marriage to young Kaufmann was one of the big social events of the Wilson regime, if not the greatest, for social functions were few and far between in those days.

It was her first year out, just seventeen, her husband was barely twenty, and everyone predicted for them the happiest sort of wedded existence.

When they were married cabinet members, foreign diplomats and hosts of Senators danced attendance. The former President himself was there, as it was just before Mr. Lane resigned and they were at that time on the best of terms.

GOING INTO MOVIES.

Just now twenty, the pretty "Nancy" has decided that she can not longer live with Mr. Kaufmann. With a daughter of eighteen months and Mrs. Lane she has gone to Burlingame, Cal., where they will live until it is decided whether divorce proceedings shall be instituted.

Eventually, it is stated by friends of Mrs. Kaufmann, she will appear in motion pictures. She has a fondness and talent for the stage. Within the last few weeks she took the leading part in "Three Nuns and a Lady," produced by society players here, and made quite a hit. In a subsequent production she acted as stage manager and displayed excellent judgment in technique and effects.

She is said to have written a number of clever "one-act pieces," which she later intends to submit as scenarios for the motion picture colonies on the Pacific Coast.

FAMILY OF SIX KILLED BY GAS IN JERSEY

Pitman, N. J., Feb. 12.—A family of six were asphyxiated and a dozen other persons were overcome early today by gas escaping from a broken main.

The dead are P. Pucci, a shoemaker with a shop and residence on Broadway near Arbutus street; his wife, and four children ranging in ages from four to twenty years.

Of those overcome, the most critical is Daniel Blackman, a broker, with an office in Philadelphia.

From the position of the bodies it was evident to the police that some members of the Pucci family had made efforts to reach fresh air.

PAINTING BY RAYMOND DUNCAN STIRS PARIS

Paris, Feb. 12.—"Like sister, like brother" seems to be the case in the well-known Duncan family. Isadora was banned from the stage a few times because of her performance.

Now brother Raymond Duncan is "in wrong" with art authorities in Paris. His painting "Maternity" was ordered from the walls of the salon of independent artists by the police, it being termed "offensive to public morals." There being no jury to act on such matters, the police are relied upon to keep the exhibits within bounds.

Raymond Duncan

Wood & Underwood Photo by Underwood

Telegraph Brevities

Detroit—Colonel Stephen Y. Seyburn, Indian fighter, who figured in many exciting exploits on Western plains under Generals Miles, Custer and Crook, is dead. He was sixty-five years old.

DR. O'HIGGINS ASSASSINATED IN IRELAND

Dublin, Feb. 12 (By the Associated Press).—Dr. Thomas O'Higgins of Marylborough, father of Kevin O'Higgins, Free State Minister of Home Affairs, was assassinated last night.

The official announcement says:

"Dr. O'Higgins, coroner of Queens County, was shot dead by armed men last evening."

The victim was a brother-in-law of Timothy Healy, Governor-General of the Free State.

DISARMS INTRUDER.

The tragedy occurred at Woodlands, near Stradbally. A party of armed men drew up near the O'Higgins residence at seven o'clock Sunday evening and three demanded admittance. Dr. O'Higgins replied that in consequence of a communication recently captured he would not admit anyone, but on the plea of wanting to see the document the raiders induced him to open the door. One of the armed men then entered, leaving his two companions on the doorstep.

While the raider inside was reading the document Dr. O'Higgins, who was seventy years old, disarmed him, snatching away his revolver. The raider shouted to his two comrades to fire. They responded with the fatal shots.

AMERICAN GIRL WEDS EARL OF DENBIGH

London, Feb. 12.—The Earl of Denbigh and Miss Kathleen Emmet, daughter of the late Dr. Thomas Addis Emmet of New York, were quietly married in Westminister Cathedral today. Cardinal Bourne officiated. The 63 - year - old groom appeared leaning upon a cane, in contrast with the sprightly young bride, who appeared in a biscuit-colored gown.

Earl of Denbigh

FATHER AND 4 OF HIS CHILDREN PERISH

Indiana, Pa., Feb. 12.—Andrew Polaceka and four of his children were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their home in a remote part of Indiana County yesterday. Mrs. Polaceka, who was badly burned, was brought to a hospital here, where a few hours later she became the mother of a little daughter. Physicians said both would live.

CABLE BRIEFS

Hamburg—A large shipment of animals left this port yesterday for exhibition in the United States. They include zebras, hyenas, kangaroos, birds of prey and monkeys.

PARIS.—A report that Mme. Sarah Bernhardt is rehearsing Maurice Rostand's new play, "The Sphynx," is premature, for although the star insists that she is capable of resuming her work, her physicians still refuse to permit her to do so.

Paris. — Minister of Finance Charles De Lasteyrie today denied that the Government is considering the sale of the French tobacco monopoly to American tobacco interests.

London—King Boris of Bulgaria, distinguished himself by assisting the police and firemen in rescue work at the National Theatre, in Sofia when it caught on fire. Two persons were killed and ten injured in the fire.

CALLS GOVERNORS FOR CONFERENCE

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 12.—Governor Pinchot today announced that he had issued invitations to the Governors of all States to send representatives to a conference here March 23 and 24 to exchange ideas on road building policies and practices.

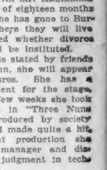
"I am more and more impressed by the fact that the highway problem," said the Governor. "No State builds roads for its own citizens only. The purpose of the conference will be to consider the policy and practice of State highway construction and the whole problem of traffic regulation."

PASTOR GRANT IS DEFENDED BY RABBI

New York, Feb. 12.—The stand of Rev. Percy Stickney Grant in his controversy with Bishop William T. Manning of the Episcopal diocese of New York was upheld by Rabbi Stephen S. Wise of the Free Synagogue in an address before 2,000 persons at Carnegie Hall.

After asserting that "the freedom of religion is in peril and liberty is in tendenominational," Dr. Wise declared he does not believe that the Ten Commandments were graven by God and given to Moses on Mt. Sinai.

"I do believe," he continued, "that the Decalogue is and will increasingly become the accepted ethical law of humankind. I believe the Decalogue wrought itself out of the moral genius of the people."



Rabbi Wise.

POLICE CORRAL 200 IN CHICAGO ROUNDUP

Chicago, Feb. 12.—More than two hundred men were held in police stations today to face victims of robberies and burglaries in Chicago during a twenty-four hour period. They were arrested Saturday night and last night in what was termed the first general police roundup this year.

CANNON TELLS HOW LINCOLN WAS CHOSEN

Washington, Feb. 12 (By International News Service).—Abraham Lincoln's famous debates with Stephen A. Douglas, and his appearance at the Illinois State Convention which put him forward for the presidential nomination in 1860 were described today by former Speaker Joseph G. Cannon, the only living member of Congress who was personally acquainted with the martyred President.

Cannon, nearly eighty-seven years old, and forty-six years in Congress, was a delegate to the convention.

"Just about the time it was organized a voice cried 'make way for Dick Oglesby and John Hanks,' said Cannon today.

"They came through bearing two walnut rails and a legend on a strip of cloth: 'These rails were made by John Hanks and Abraham Lincoln.'

"The cry came for Lincoln. They literally picked him up and passed him over the heads of the crowd.

"Somebody had asked him if it was proper for him to be there, as he was a candidate for the presidency.

"A queer expression came over Lincoln's face and he said:

"'The truth is I am most too much of a candidate to be here, but hardly enough to stay away.'

The Seward people were swept off their feet.

"I saw Lincoln once after the election at Springfield. He was in a day coach, without companions, and on his way to Charleston, to meet for the last time the old stepmother who called him 'my boy Abe.'"

Lincoln Had Money Ready When Called Upon to Settle

Washington, Feb. 12.—A musty volume in the archives of the Postoffice Department in which is recorded the appointment of Abraham Lincoln as postmaster at New Salem, Illinois, on May 7, 1833, recalls an interesting story of his postmaster ship, which is said to be a tradition of the service.

As related in a memorandum made public by the department, it was several years after the postoffice at New Salem had been closed, in 1832, that one of the few remaining agents then assigned to that duty called on Lincoln, then a struggling young lawyer of 27, to close up finally the accounts of the office. The former postmaster in accordance with departmental rule he had waited for the agents' visit. The latter presented Lincoln with a statement showing a balance due the government from the post office amounting to about $17.00.

"Lincoln," as the memorandum relates "he could be seen rising from his chair, crossing his office to an old trunk in the corner and taking from it a cotton bag tied with string. Untieing it, he produced the exact amount of money demanded by the postoffice agent, indicating that he had held the sum intact and untouched ever since his retirement as postmaster.

"'I never use other man's money but my own,' he said calmly."

MOONSHINE KILLS FALL RIVER MAN

Fall River, Feb. 12.—For the second time in two days, another death due to moonshine occurred in this city, and the second man to die is at the City Hospital was Joseph Tes-

11 ford, of No. 212 Bedford street. Tesford was found seriously ill in a cell at the Central police station. He was sent to the hospital where he died within a few hours.

Deaths from moonshine in this State since January 1

SEEK FOUR BODIES IN SOUND WRECK

Edgartown, Feb. 12.—Search is being made on the northern shore of Martha's Vineyard for the bodies of Captain Patrick J. Kelly, Robert Taylor, nineteen-year-old schoolboy, and Charles and Frank Doyle, believed to have perished when the schooner Natalie was run down and sunk in Vineyard Sound.

Wreckage, identified as coming from the missing schooner, which left this port January 22, was discovered in Tarpaulin Cove, Naushon Island, by searchers.

RAID NEGRO SOCIETY AND ARREST EIGHT

New Orleans, La., Feb. 12.—Eight officers of the Universal Negro Improvement Association were arrested when police broke up a meeting. They were charged with inciting to riot and unlawfully assembling. Papers seized indicated the police said, that the association is raising funds for the defence of two negroes indicted recently for the killing here of Rev. J. W. Eason.

ALL TURKISH MEN OVER 25 MUST WED

Constantinople, Feb. 12.—The compulsory marriage bill introduced in the Turkish National Assembly at Angora provides that all men of twenty-five must marry and that the families shall have one child at least every three years, said a dispatch from Angora today. It is designed to repopulate Turkey.

MARION DAVIES NOW APPEARS AS BOY

SCENE FROM "LITTLE OLD NEW YORK"

Marion Davies, impersonating a boy, is reprimanded by Harrison Ford in costume photoplay of New York a century ago.

MARION DAVIES SHOWS PLUCK AFTER FALL

Marion Davies, the popular screen star, narrowly escaped serious injury when she was thrown from the shoulder of Louis Wolheim, of "Hairy Ape" fame, to the floor of the Twenty-Third Regiment Armory in Brooklyn, N. Y., during the making of a scene for her new Cosmopolitan picture, "Little Old New York." Miss Davies was unconscious for a few moments but as soon as she had recovered she insisted on going on with the scene. More than 700 persons, numbering principals and extras, broke into applause at her exhibition of pluck.

The particular scene in which Miss Davies was injured required her, dressed in the boy's costume of "Pat O'Day," to be flung to the shoulder of Wolheim and rushed through a mob of 700 howling men to the whipping post.

Wolheim is a powerful fellow weighing over 200 pounds. With his slender form of Miss Davies held above him with one big arm Wolheim crossed a crud looking whip in his other hand. Just as he reached the steps leading to the whipping post the mob surging around him packed in so closely that Wolheim lost his balance and slipped. Although he made every effort to save her Miss Davies was thrown to the floor, her head striking with great force.

When she opened her eyes after several moments of unconsciousness Miss Davies declared she was all right and, pushing her director, Sidney Olcott, to continue the scene.

"She's as game as they make 'em," commented Wolheim.

WOMAN, 117, EX-SLAVE DIES IN CANADA

Richmond Hill, Ont., Feb. 12.—Mrs. Susan Augusta Maxwell, Canada's oldest citizen, and one of the most picturesque figures in York County, is dead at the age of 117. She was one of the few survivors of the slaves who escaped from the United States before the emancipation of the slaves, by the "underground railway." She was born in Lancaster County, Penn.

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Lift Out Your Corns

ICE-MINT

THE NEW DISCOVERY ENDS ALL

Foot Troubles

This new discovery, made from a Japanese product, is certainly a wonder the way it draws out inflammation from a pair of swollen, burning, aching feet. It takes the soreness right out, then the corn or callous shrivels and lifts off.

Hard corns, soft corns or corns between the toes, just shrivel up and lift off so easy. It is wonderful. Just think! Not one bit of pain while applying ice-mint or afterwards. Doesn't even irritate the surrounding skin.

You will never have to cut a corn again and run the risk of blood poison. Say good by to sore toe nail corn salve, plaster and bandage tape for that pet corn, or to use a knife on a "grower." If you use Tools the magic touch of ice-mint, it comes off as delightful, soothing restful feeling to the feet that you will shout with relief.

Ice-mint is the real Japanese secret for the removal of corns. It is powerful but does not irritate the skin. Feet are made comfortable. It is greatly appreciated by women who wear high heel shoes.

Just ask in any drug store for a little ice-mint and give your poor, suffering, tired, aching feet the treat of their lives. It costs little and there is nothing better.

How to Make Pine Cough Syrup at Home

Has no equal for prompt results. Takes but a moment to prepare, and saves you about $2.

Pine is used in nearly all prescriptions and remedies for coughs. The reason is that pine has a remarkable effect in soothing and healing the membranes of the throat and chest.

Pine cough syrups are made of pine and syrup. The "syrup" is usually plain sugar syrup.

To make the best pine cough remedy, put 2½ ounces of Pinex in a pint bottle, and fill up with home-made sugar syrup. Or, use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup instead of sugar syrup. This makes a full pint—more than you can buy ready-made for three times the money. It is pure, and tastes good.

You can feel it take right hold of a cough or cold. The cough may be dry, hoarse and tight, or may be persistently loose from the formation of phlegm. The cause is the same—inflamed membranes—and this Pinex and Syrup combination will stop it—usually in 24 hours or less. Splendid, too, for bronchial asthma, hoarseness, or any ordinary throat ailment.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of Norway pine extract, and is famous for its prompt effect upon coughs.

Beware of substitutes. Ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

PINEX for Coughs

Finest Thing!

Failure of the kidneys to promptly and thoroughly act, brings on a train of ills, and continued neglect, results frequently in Bright's Disease, Uremic Poisoning, and Chronic Rheumatism; also a very serious nerve disorder often follows.

Backache, headache, restlessness, dry skin, hot flashes, and chills should cause you to suspect the kidney action. Look for these symptoms: amount of urine, insufficient or too copious; irregular flow with frequent desire, especially at night, followed sometimes by pain, burning, or smarting; pressure and pain in bladder region; pain in groins and back; swelling of feet and ankles; also a scanty flow of urine, accompanied by slight fever, chills, headache and "all-gone" tired feeling.

Balmwort TAB LET

Begin right away to use Balmwort tablets and you will soon feel relief. Continue you, for they are true kidney medicine.

Mrs. Frank Monehan, 1519 Penrose St., St. Louis, Mo., writes: "I commenced taking Balmwort Kidney Tablets and must say they are the finest thing on the market—and I feel I could not live if I had to be without them."

Go now to your druggist, and get this good medicine. Balmwort Tablets. Two sizes, 50c and $1.25.

Free Medical Book and Sample Medicines to anyone sending 10 cents in stamps to the Blackburn Products Co., Dept. B, Dayton, Ohio.

200 BRAZILIAN TROOPS FALL IN BATTLE

Buenos Aires, Feb. 13 (By Associated Press).—An encounter between State troops and rebels in the Brazilian State of Rio Grande do Sul is reported here. Government forces are said to have suffered 200 casualties while the rebel losses are not reported. The engagement took place at Nonohay.

For nearly a month press dispatches from Montevideo and Buenos Aires have reported an incipient rebellion in Rio Grande do Sul, the result of opposition to Governor De Medeiros.

"Carolina in the Morning"

You'll never hear this captivating fox-trot played with finer tempo, rhythm and melody than on the Columbia Record made by Eddie Elkins' Orchestra.

"Silver Swanee" is its team mate on the reverse side. At COLUMBIA DEALERS

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NINE GO TO TRIAL IN THE HERRIN MURDERS

Marion, Ill., Feb. 12.—Nine men charged with murder growing out of the Herrin, Ill., mine riots last June, went on trial in Williamson County Circuit Court today. They are specifically charged with killing Antonio Mulkavitch of Erie, Pa., a guard at the Lester strip mine. The disorders resulted from an attempt to open the mine with non-union labor during the coal strike. Four of the defendants were acquitted at an earlier trial in connection with another

FIGHT BEGINS TO STRIKE DEATH BLOW AT THE DRUG EVIL

Washington, Feb. 12.—Dr. Royal S. Copeland, New York city health commissioner, and Senator-elect, and Dr. Alexander Lambert, noted alienist of New Yoark, are scheduled to open the case for the prosecution when "dope" goes on trial for its life before the House Foreign Affairs Committee Tuesday morning.

These eminent medical and scientific authorities have tendered their services in the legal fight on society's most deadly enemy, and Chairman Porter has asked them to take the stand as expert witnesses in support of his resolution designed to strike a death blow at the root of the evil—production.

An important contribution showing how fast the drug traffic has fastened itself on the whole world will be furnished by Colonel O. G. Forrer, assistant chief of the narcotic division of the Treasury, who has just returned from abroad. Colonel Forrer was sent to Europe to make a three-months' investigation of the drug situation at the request of Secretary of State Hughes. His report, as disclosed to Universal Service is, in brief, as follows:

"The nations of the Old World are dumping drugs into the United States to recuperate their finances.

"A powerful drug ring is operating out of all the countries where there has been a breakdown of normal police regulations.

"All forms of narcotics are sold openly over the counters in drug stores abroad, and in any quantity which may be desired.

"The populations of these nations are turning to drug addiction in search for surcease from all their war sorrows.

"The only way in which the situation may be controlled is by calling an international conference to suppress production.

"Unless this is done millions of helpless peoples will plunge over the precipice of drug addiction."

Colonel Forrer was directed to ascertain the source of drug production, the means of smuggling and the steps which he considered necessary to combat the evil.

Chairman Porter plans to complete the hearings within a week or ten days and then press for action in the House and Senate.

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MME. PETROVA FINDS ATLANTIC CITY WARM

Atlantic City, N. J., Feb. 12.—

Mme. Petrova

Not so warm as Palm Beach but a lot warmer than New York, is the opinion of Olga Petrova, stage and screen actress.

She is here with her husband, Dr. John D. Stewart, and takes a daily stroll on the Board Walk.

Mme. Petrova is revising Oscar Wilde's "The Harlot House." She will appear shortly in this play.

TODAY

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says the big mob. But he is afraid that something may happen, as in Russia, to make the time too short.

KEEP THE FARMERS contented. Discontentment starts in the stomach. It's the stomach, not the brain, that rebels.

Stability is in the farms, and what they produce. Farmers, prosperous, give free business insurance to high finance. It is a great temptation to tap the farm wealth. It can be reached so easily and "legally" through railroad rates, fertilizer trusts, agricultural implement trusts, high mortgage rates, gambling in farm produce—a hundred ways.

DON'T YIELD to the temptation. Don't fight the "farm bloc" or any agency friendly to farmers. Divide a little. Don't be too stingy with your defenders. Farmers are your defenders. A full stomach never rebels—it's busy digesting.

WHEN FARMERS butcher their milking cows, cut their crop acreage, let their "year-round" men go, because they can't afford to pay them, let potatoes rot in the ground, or burn corn, that's a danger signal for YOU, to whom absence of unrest means so much.

THE HUMAN being is a patient, creature, and hates the agitator by instinct, for he hates thinking. He won't listen at all while he is fed. But let him get hungry—then he'll listen. Remember Russia.

THE FARMER is your insurance. He will do for you what corporation lawyers can't do. Food and plenty of it, cheap, is the great opiate.

Nurse the farmer along. Don't force him out of business or into prices beyond public reach. Government of the people, by the people and for the people has not yet appeared complete. But this is sure, the kind of government you have now depends on a people well, regularly and reasonably fed.

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Regardless of what caused your neuritis or where the pains are located, it is possible to obtain quick relief without taking narcotics or other dangerous drugs. An application of Tyrmol over the part that hurts usually stops the misery. Tyrmol is absorbed through the pores of the skin and has a soothing, healing effect upon the diseased nerves.

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DIVA BREAKS RULE TO HONOR COPELAND

Mme. Jeritza will sing and Senator David I. Walsh of Massachusetts will be among the prominent speakers at the dinner in honor of the Senator-elect in New York City tonight.

MME. MARIE JERITZA

Mme. Marie Jeritza will break it or long established rule not to sing except at regular performances in the case of the dinner to Senator-elect Copeland, at the Hotal Astor in New York city tonight. Political clubs, fraternal organizations and various women's societies will be represented at the dinner which is to be given by a committee of citizens of which Otto H. Kahn is treasurer. Among the speakers will be Senator David I. Walsh of Massachusetts, Bainbridge Colby, Martin W. Littleton and Murray Hulbert.

CARDINAL DYING AFTER FALL IN ROME

London, Feb. 13.—Cardinal Bartholemew Bacilieri, bishop of Verona, is dying in Rome as the result of a fall sustained while celebrating mass, according to a dispatch from Central News, in Rome.

Cardinal Bartholemew Bacilieri

The Cardinal struck his head with considerable force in the fall, and was carried from the church in an unconscious condition. Physicians have been working over him, but it is feared that his injuries are fatal.

The curch was crowded at the time and considerable excitement attended the accident.

Naval Attache Weds

London, Feb. 13.—(By International News Service)—Commander Thadeus Thomson, U. S. N., of Texas, Junior Naval Attache at the American Embassy, was married at St. Margarets Church today to Miss Lillian Newton of New York.

Doctors Say It Is Criminal To Neglect a Cold

Health authorities are quoted as saying that a very large percentage of colds might be prevented and that a still greater amount of serious illness might be avoided if people would not neglect the common cold at its first appearance. Every cold carries with it an element of great danger.

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COP PLAYS 3 ROLES AT FIRE IN SOMERVILLE

Patrolman John H. Baker played three roles in a fire drama at Somerville today.

He was the watchful policeman when he turned in an alarm, after seeing smoke pouring from a house at No. 899 Somerville avenue.

He was the daring fireman when he went three flights up to the home of Mrs. Margaret Fontonmay, broke into the room occupied by James McPherson, a lodger, and carried the unconscious form of McPherson down to safety.

He was the efficient ambulance surgeon when he administered first aid to McPherson, who had been overcome by the smoke, and Baker did his work so well that by the time the pulmotor arrived it was not needed.

The fire did small property damage. It was caused by bedding getting afire from a kitchen stove.

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TURK THREAT NOT TO CHANGE ALLIED STAND

Paris, Feb. 12 (By the Associated Press).—The three-day extension of the Turkish ultimatum demanding the withdrawal of the allied battleships at Smyrna is not expected to modify the positive stand taken by France and Great Britain and, so far as is known, the orders to the naval commanders to defend their positions if attacked still holds good.

Press dispatches confirm reports, which have also reached London, that the Turks decided to wait another three days for the withdrawal of the war craft. They reserved to themselves full liberty of action after the expiration of that time.

Constantinople newspapers maintain that the situation will be adjusted satisfactorily, although they declare that the order closing the port of Smyrna will not be countermanded.

Home for Armenian Girls on Site of Venus Temple

Beirut, Syria, Feb. 12.—The French government has given to the Near East Relief a tract of land at the so-called "River of Abraham," on which will be established an orphanage for 1,000 Armenian girl refugees from Anatolia.

The institution, which will be in charge of Mrs. W. R. Gennaway of Seattle, Wash., will comprise four dormitories, a large hospital and an industrial school. The site is on the seashore, twenty miles north of Beirut. Although historically important, the land has been unoccupied since 1911, when a landslide destroyed the village of Afka with a loss of 400 lives.

In Roman times a temple to Venus and Adonis was located there. The region is famous because at certain seasons of the year the river is colored red with mineral matter which the ancients believed to be the blood of Adonis, spilled by a wild boar. The Americans will harness the stream and install an electric plant for light, heating and cooking.

Millionaire Hires Airplane to Visit Sick Monkey

Chicago, Feb. 12.—Charles W. Martin, sixty-six-year-old millionaire of Antioch, Ill., expects to live to be 100. He has bought a young monkey, "Mike," who he is rearing with tender care and affection. Martin is convinced, he explained today, that longevity is a matter of monkey glands.

"Mike" became ill Sunday. When Martin heard the bad news he hired an airplane and flew from Antioch to Chicago to see his pet.

The millionaire was plainly worried. "I'll need him some day," he said.

"Mike" was much better this morning.

MRS. LONDON CROSSES SEA IN CARGO BOAT

London, Feb. 12.—A trip across the Atlantic in a cargo boat has drawn attention of the local literary world to Mrs. Jack London. She was practically forty days at sea. During this time, she said, she managed to spend four or five days writing a book on Hawaii.

Mrs. Jack London

It will include hitherto unpublished memoirs of her husband.

Incidentally, it reveals that Jack London preferred England to America.

GIRL ACCUSES DIPLOMAT OF HITTING HER

New York, Feb. 12.—Although protected by diplomatic immunity, Mariano Vidal, Spanish vice-consul in New York, will voluntarily appear in the criminal courts' building tomorrow to answer a complaint filed with Assistant District Attorney Alexander Lehman by Miss Lucile Whitehurst, formerly of Americus, Ga., who claims to have been knocked down by the Spaniard.

Vidal accepted a request subpoena from Assistant District Attorney Lehman after Miss Whitehurst, accompanied by her attorney, Bernard H. Sadler, went to the criminal courts building and complained of treatment she alleges she received from the vice consul.

Miss Whitehurst, who is twenty-four, says she belongs to an aristocratic southern family. She declares that she and Vidal became engaged last Summer and they were happy in each other's love until he discovered that she was not wealthy. Then his love cooled, she said.

BELIEVE BOY LOST IN BLACKSTONE RIVER

Uxbridge, Feb. 12.—One hundred citizens who had joined police and firemen in a search for 13-year-old Alfred Lloyd found his cap and glove on the ice of the Blackstone River early today and it is believed the boy, while crossing the river, stepped into a patch of open water and was drowned. He left home early yesterday afternoon and the searchers had spent most of the night following his tracks in the snow.

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Dr. Carey's famous Prescription No. 777 (known for years as Marshrooi) is not recommended for everything, but we cannot too strongly urge its use if you suffer from annoying bladder troubles, frequent passing of water night and day, with smarting or irritation, brick dust sediment or highly colored urine. Bloating, irritability with loss of flesh, or any other tendency to Bright's Disease, in fact we feel sure that any disease in which poisons may be clearing from the system will find immediate benefit from the use of this wonderful prescription, now obtainable in both liquid and tablet form if you have any of the above symptoms, Kidney and Bladder troubles don't wear away. They will grow more and more slowly, stealthily and with unfailing certainty, if you even suspect that you are subject to Kidney Disease, don't lose a single day, for Epstein Drug Co., Armstrong Co. Stores, and every good druggist have been authorized to return the purchase money on the first big bottle to all who state they have received no benefit.

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We urge you to learn, at our expense, what it means to you and yours.

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Film is the great tooth enemy—that viscous film you feel. It clings to teeth, enters crevices and stays.

Food stains, etc., discolor it, then it forms dingy coats. Tartar is based on film. That is why teeth lose luster.

Film also holds food substance which ferments and forms acids. It holds the acids in contact with the teeth to cause decay. Germs breed by millions in it. They, with tartar, are the chief cause of pyorrhea.

That is why, under old-time methods, few escaped tooth troubles.

New ways discovered

Dental science, after long research, found two ways to fight film. One acts to curdle film, one to remove it, and without any harmful scouring.

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That tooth paste is called Pepsodent. To people all about you it is daily bringing results you would enjoy.

Just opposite effects

Old methods brought in some ways just opposite effects.

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They reduced the starch digestant in the saliva. That is there to digest starch deposits which may otherwise ferment and form acids.

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Look about you and on every hand you will see the good results. Teeth glisten as they should. Note the new beauty, new charm.

Those whiter teeth mean cleaner, safer teeth. Film and acids are constantly combated. You will want those benefits when you once know them. Cut out the coupon now,

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NEW HAMPSHIRE TO DYNAMITE STATE SAFE

Concord, N. H., Feb. 12.—The State safe which holds New Hampshire's cash and check books was named "Cupid" today. "Cupid" is supposed to laugh at locksmiths. Well, so does the State safe.

State Treasurer George E. Farrand shut the safe Friday and securely locked up official documents, money, check books, stamps, vouchers and all the paraphernalia necessary to do business officially. The durn thing would not open Saturday nor Sunday.

Until wee hours today the treasurer, H. Z. Simpson, a safe expert from Stamford, Ct., a battering ram and ramniers worked frantically to get the safe open.

No luck. Dynamite will be employed as a last resort.

LIVING COSTS UP IN EUROPEAN STATES

Paris, Feb. 12.—The cost of living is becoming steadier generally throughout the world except in France, Italy, Germany and Poland, according to statistics compiled by the International Labor Bureau. In France prices have been rising steadily since February, 1922 while living costs in Italy have been increasing since last May.

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POLA OBJECTS TO GETTING WET IN SEA RESCUE

Los Angeles, Feb. 12.—Pola Negri fiancee of Charlie Chaplin, by her emphatic refusel to appear in sea-soaked lingerie, drenched and bedraggled, threatened to break her contract to act in a new film production.

Pola, according to the scenario of the new screen play, is shipwrecked and about to sink for the third time when she is espied by aviator Jack Holt, who saves her.

Pola Negri.

It is asserted that Pola noted the script, noted the wetness of the water called for and noted the thinness of the costume—then, with the scorn of a great artist, she commented:

"I shall not appear in so picture so. Charley, he would not like it. He would be mad."

How Charlie would feel about it if he saw his fiancee filmed en deshabille and very wet is not stated.

Drink and Enjoy the tea with the million dollar flavor

LIPTON'S TEA

Largest Sale in the World

Boston Society Folk Are Sailing for Foreign Shores, Says Betty Alden

MISS BARBARA LITTLE

A shimmering costume of yellow and gold and a gorgeous feathery headpiece transformed Miss Barbara Little into the striking figure pictured above. Miss Little will assist at the Valentine candy sale being held at the White Elephant Shop this week. (Photo by Bachrach.)

By BETTY ALDEN.

The Freddy Princes don't seem to have any trouble retaining their record as "champeen" crossers of the Atlantic.

Last week the master and mistress of "Princemere" made one of their flying trips across the big pond, remaining in Boston for the enormous length of four whole days. They sailed back for Pau, France, on Saturday.

The Princes' place at Pau is more and more occupying the attention of its sport-loving owners, with the result that the latter make rather a short season of it at "Princemere," their Pride's Crossing estate. "Princemere" has a fine polo field, often used for practice and games by the Myopia team, with Freddy Prince, Jr., as one of its star players. The Princes, Jr., I understand, are also spending the Winter at Pau.

Speaking of the Princes—I see that Miss Margaret Harding, younger sister of Mrs. Freddy Prince, Jr., (Elizabeth Harding) has changed her plans. Instead of coming to Boston to be with her father, William P. G. Harding, newly-appointed head of the Federal Reserve Bank here, daughter Margaret sailed on Saturday for Paris on board the White Star liner Olympic. Miss Harding is going to visit for a while at the French capital with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Pell (Alice Harding). The latter were married last September at Beverly Farms—the Freddy Princes, Jr., gave a wedding breakfast for them—and plan to make their home in Paris for a year or two.

SAILING also on board the Olympic were Mrs. Guy Lowell and her debutante niece, Miss Marianna Lowell, who go to join the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick E. Lowell.

Society recalls with no small pleasure the large ball which Mrs. Guy Lowell gave for her niece early in the season at the Copley-Plaza. The affair had rather a novel note, as the thoughtful hostess had reserved also the State suite of the hotel for the older guests to use for bridge if they cared to, an arrangement which proved to be altogether satisfactory. Quite a large contingent came on from New York for the affair.

Tall and brunette Barbara Little made a very striking figure in the shimmering costume of yellow and gold with its almost barbaric looking headpiece in which she appeared at a charity function given some time ago.

Miss Little, who's the debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lovell Little, is one of the young girls who will help Mrs. Allen Curtis sell Valentine candy—done up in special boxes—at the White Elephant Shop, No. 557 Boylston street. The sale will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week, the proceeds to swell the American fund for Russian refugees in whose aid the White Elephant Shop is being run.

Others who will help Mrs. Curtis are Mrs. Edward Beals, Mrs. John G. Coolidge, Mrs. F. Roland Clough, as well as the Misses Polly Cabot, Edith Bremer, Barbara Register, Elizabeth Perceival, Eloise Singleton and Priscilla Howland.

Betty Alden

LAUTMAN, WHO FLED, IS IN SANITARIUM

New York, Feb. 12.—The order for the arrest of Mortimer E. Lautman, buyer for Kaufman Brothers' department store in Pittsburgh, issued after he was said to have disappeared with $75,000, will not be served, it was intimated today at police headquarters when it was definitely ascertained that he has been found. Lautman has been in a sanitarium in a city near Pittsburgh.

The order for Lautman's arrest was issued after Sol Michaels, a lace manufacturer, complained that he had given the missing man $20,000 which he had failed to account for. No request has been made to the police of the Pennsylvania city for his apprehension, as Lautman, obviously suffering from amnesia or aphasia, had not deliberately vanished with the money.

Intimations were further given that he would not be molested until he had had a chance to straighten out his financial affairs.

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ALARMING DROP IN FRENCH BIRTHRATE

Paris, Feb. 12.—The latest birthrate bulletin shows that there were 7,000 fewer births in France during 1922 than in 1921. There were also 9,000 fewer marriages and sixty-one less deaths.

"Prices realized on Swift & Company sales of carcass beef in Boston for week ending Saturday, Feb. 10th on ship-ments sold out, ranged from 8.69 cents to 15.50 cents per pound and averaged 12.76 cents per pound."—Advt.

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PROBE BIG FIRE IN LAWRENCE

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joining the blaze on either side.

Suspicious circumstances and the remarkable reluctance of witnesses to answer the questions of Inspector John J. Kelleher caused Fire Chief Morris to announce he would "probably call for a probe by State police."

A score or more firemen were overcome by smoke and cut by falling glass and Harry Abrahams, owner of the block and the Home Furniture Store, No. 153 Essex street, where the blaze started, narrowly escaped being burned to death.

NARROW ESCAPE.

Abrahams, caught on the third floor, when warned by William Cook, an employe, attempted to escape to the street by means of the elevator. This became caught between the first and second floors. He jumped as flames shot upward through the shaft. He landed on both knees and then staggered to the street.

A score or more other employes of his store and that of Samuel Salovitch, shoe dealer at No. 121 Essex street, in the same building, and stores in the adjoining wooden blocks, ran to the streets coatless and hatless.

Abe Silverman, employed by Salovitch, started in the cellar, shared by his employer and Abrahams. As he opened the door there came a blast of hot air and smoke. His brother, Edward, sounded the alarm. Both live at No. 2 Prospect street.

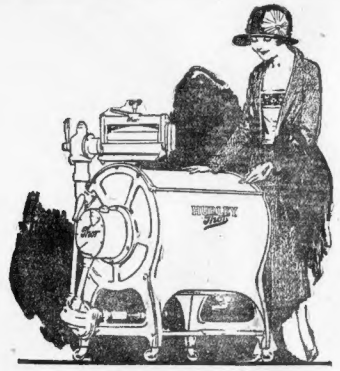
Before the first apparatus reached the scene, flame and smoke were shooting from the topmost windows, those on the fourth floor. Hardly had hose lines been laid when the fire burned through the roof. This firemen thought extremely suspicious.

FIREMEN IN DANGER.

The blaze gained such terrific headway that Chief Francis J. Morris directed the first streams against the two adjoining windows for he feared that the fire would burn through into these and then there would be little or no hope of checking its progress before twenty or thirty stores had been wiped out because of the old-time inflammable construction of that district.

Later, as more hose lines were connected, they were turned against the solid rows of tenement houses that face the alley at the rear of the blazing building and front on Common street. So intense was the heat that windows in these houses buckled and crashed to the alley below on the heads and shoulders of firemen.

Terrified foreign-born women, unable to speak English to any extent, heeded not the warnings given by police and at the start of the fire dragged their all to the snow-covered streets. The sights along Common street were vari-colored and pathetic.



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LARGEST EVENING CIRCULATION IN NEW ENGLAND

COAL PRESCRIPTIONS BANNED IN ARLINGTON

NEEDS OF SICK ARE FLOUTED

Fuel Denied Mother at Birth of Baby by Town Administrator

Chilly reception for the stork in Arlington.

A doctor's prescription for coal for sick persons, no matter what the emergency, is not recognized in that pretty town and will not be recognized.

Fred S. Hicks says so. He is the town's fuel administrator. His argument is that, if sickness prescriptions for coal were recognized, his office would be swamped with such orders and they would be unable to tell deserving cases from those otherwise.

The Arlington situation was emphasized to Mrs. Albert Mardney of Henderson street. She was about to become a mother.

There was no coal to provide a house-warming for the baby and expectant mother. Mr. Mardney, who operates a restaurant in Somerville, had placed an order with a Cambridge coal concern with whom he had done business previously. But there was no prospect apparently of the coal being delivered in time.

HICKS REFUSES.

Dr. J. R. Marshall and Dr. McLean of Somerville, who were called to attend Mrs. Mardney, found the situation critical, in their opinion. Dr. Marshall wrote a letter to Fuel Administrator Hicks, setting forth the need of coal at the Mardney home.

This letter was taken by a friend of Mr. Mardney to Mr. Hicks, but obtained no satisfaction, it is said. Dr. Marshall says:

"Then Dr. McLean and I went to Mr. Hicks to see why, in a case like this, some coal could not have been delivered. Mr. Hicks said that almost any doctor could sign a prescription.

"Mr. Hicks said that Mr. Mardney could get some soft coal by using his own conveyance and going for it. It seems to me that, in emergency cases, where it is a matter of life and death to have warmth in the house, Mr. Hicks takes the wrong attitude, one dangerous to the people."

FUEL BOSS EXPLAINS.

Mr. Hicks was asked about this case and the general attitude of his office regarding coal prescriptions. He said:

"There are only three dealers trying to supply the whole of Arlington. Arlington residents, in normal times, have received one-third of their coal from outside sources. Now these sources are cut off and Arlington dealers, like all others, are short.

"Mr. Mardney has always got his coal from the Clark Coal Company in Cambridge. He is nearer Cambridge than to the Arlington dealers. He could have hauled coal on a sled if necessary.

"I told the man who presented that prescription that Mr. Mardney could have coal because he lived in Arlington.

"But we do not honor doctors' prescriptions. You see our position. If we did, we would be swamped with prescriptions and unable to investigate to see which were deserving of being filled and which not.

BABY BORN IN COLD.

"The chairman of the Arlington Board of Selectmen wanted coal and had to go after it in order to get it."

A girl baby was born to Mrs. Mardney Tuesday. On Friday, three days after the baby came, a half-ton of coal, some of an order filed a long time ago with the Cambridge concern, was delivered to the Mardneys after Mrs. Mardney had suffered from cold; also anxiety for her baby's welfare.

Drs. Marshall and McLean were so worked up over the situation at the Mardney home that they were on their way to Cambridge to see what could be done at the very time the half-ton was delivered.

Mrs. Mardney said today that her sister had gone to Clark Brothers in Cambridge prior to the baby's birth in effort to have some coal delivered. She was told, Mrs. Mardney said, to bring a note from the doctor, which she did.

"When I was quite sick some time ago," added Mrs. Mardney, "my husband got a little coal by going to Clark's after it and bringing it back."

Meanwhile Dr. Marshall says indignantly:

"Something should be done about the callous attitude of coal dealers and administrators who pay no attention or who try to do nothing to allay suffering among the sick."

WALTHAM HAS COAL IN QUARTER-TON LOTS

Quarter-ton lots of hard coal are available today in Waltham, according to Fuel Administrator Joseph Morrissey, who announced that the emergency, which caused him to threaten publicity to commandeer shipments of fuel to meet the situation, no longer existed.

Mother Made Ill

MRS. ALBERT MARDNEY.

Her husband was unable to get coal to warm the house for the coming of the stork and she was ill as a consequence.

Two Tons of Coal Are Dumped Into Subway Manhole

New York, Feb. 12.—A truck driver mistook a manhole for a cellar entrance and dumped two tons of coal into the subway.

The coal packed itself about high tension cables and subway officials were called to the scene. A little m'n e representatives of the Stokes' Coal Company arrived to salvage the fuel.

The work was found to be dangerous, however, and was postponed until electricians arrived to supervise.

75 DEATHS LAID TO NO COAL IN LAWRENCE

Continued from First Page.

The poor suffering devils who are being picked off by scores can't understand statistics. They are freezing. They fall ill. They die!"—he says.

MEETING TONIGHT.

Dr. Charles A. McCarthy, newly-elected head of the Lawrence City Health Department, declared:

"There is no doubt in my mind that lack of fuel has been the main factor in the pneumonia cases. There is not as much unemployment as in the past. Money is comparatively plentiful. But I am inclined to doubt that those figures mean pneumonia.

"One hundred and six deaths from pneumonia! It seems hardly believable. In my own case, I have a big louse to heat and have not only two tons of coal this Winter. Some of this I have given to families in want, and have burned coke. The situation will certainly be taken up at the Board of Health meeting tonight."

SAYS CRISIS IGNORED.

The bins of the Lawrence poor are empty of life-sustaining coal. The mortality figures fairly shriek an accusation, but those who are tacitly accused, if not complacent in the serious situation, are lethargic at least, Recorder Hale charges.

"We boast of a superior civilization," he said, "yet more than 100 lives are snuffed out miserably in a few weeks in a comparatively small community, while those in a position to do something to alleviate the evil endeavor to use the smoke screen of their own well stocked furnaces to give these poor hapless beings without fuel the idea that everything is all right.

TO BRING RECORDS.

Mr. Hale declares that he has watched for days the grim results of the coalless bins of the city. He was assured in his heart that lack of fuel was responsible for the number of pneumonia deaths. The needed verification, he says, he found when he turned the pages of the official death record kept by the Board of Health.

Mr. Hale says he was aghast at his discovery and will ask the Board of Health to use its official power to compel relief. He will bring the death records to support his charges.

Late Trains

From	Due	Late H.M.
New York (mail)	5:30	ontime
New York	6:05	1:05
New York	6:48	ontime
New York (fast sec.)	7:00	:10
New York (2d sec.)	7:00	1:15
New York (Owl)	7:18	1:05
Newport	8:08	:20
Washington (Fed. Ex.)	7:58	1:00
Fall River	7:38	1:10
Fall River (boat)	8:30	:20
Providence	8:25	:10
Providence	8:44	:25
Plymouth	8:44	:10
Hyannis (Cape)	8:53	:20
Pittsburgh	8:58	:50
Plymouth	9:00	:20
Newport	9:05	:20
Providence	9:17	:25
Whitman	9:34	:20
Willimantic	9:45	:20
Randolph	9:46	:25
Hyannis	9:53	:25
Plymouth	10:07	:25
Plymouth	10:14	:30
Newport	10:36	:20
Woonsocket	10:35	:15
Bridgewater	10:42	:10

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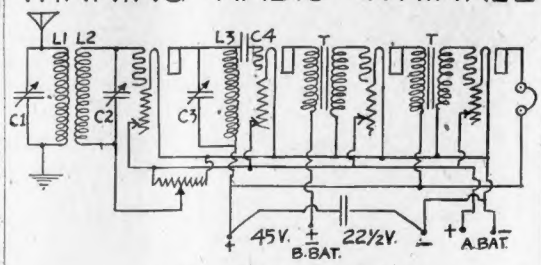
WINNING RADIO WRINKLE



R.F. AND A.F. DIAGRAM

Circuit submitted by a Newton fan which wins free vacuum tube this week. It includes one stage of radio-frequency, detector, and two audio-frequency stages of amplification. Using it in northern Ontario he received excellent programs from between fifty-five and sixty American stations. Its construction is described in the accompanying story.

Some one must have tried Coue on the radio wrinkles. It was a problem to pick out the best of those submitted during the past week.

A receiver diagram, submitted by Francis M. Beck of No. 196 Tremont street, Newton, Mass., was finally selected as the winning wrinkle, for his description of it was accurate, concise and explicit, so that other fans could follow his plan.

As shown in the diagram, C1 is a 43-plate variable condenser; C2, 23-plate; C4, a .00025 mfd. mica dielectric fixed condenser.

"I did not use a grid leak," Beck reports, "though a grid leak of the correct value would prevent the polarizing of the detector tube. However, I had no trouble using a Radiotron tube for the detector, as the porcelain base had sufficient leakage to prevent polorization.

VARIATIONS POSSIBLE.

"The primary coil, L1, is wound with sixty turns of wire. The secondary, L2, is wound with fifty turns. The radio-frequency coil, L3 is wound with fifty turns. These coils were wound on Bakelite tubing, 3¼ inches in diameter, using No. 20 enameled wire. It is, of course, possible to vary slightly from the above specifications without destroying the efficiency of the set.

The primary and secondary coils were placed end to end, and the best results were obtained when the distance between the adjacent ends of the primary and secondary coils was from four to six inches. The radio-frequency coil should be placed at right angles to the other two, and not less than eight inches from the primary and secondary.

GOOD DX RESULTS.

"It is also advisable to place a .00025 mfd. fixed condenser across the high voltage B battery terminals, as it will pass the radio-frequency current in the plate circuit of the radio-frequency amplifier.

"While in northern Ontario, we received splendid programs from between 55 and 60 American stations. We used, for a loud talker, one receiver unit attached to a Columbia grafonola. The program could be heard all over the house very satisfactorily, even though the temporary aerial was but about thirty feet high, and at times we used the town lighting wires with good results."

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Radio Program

WGI, MEDFORD.

6:00—Late News Flashes, Early Sports News—Boston American.
6:15—Code Practice, Lesson No. 7.
6:30—Boston Police Reports, Amrad Bulletin Board.
6:45—Professor J. Louis Keegan of the English Department of Tufts College will speak on "The House of the Seven Gables" (Nathaniel Hawthorne), Seventy-seventh Tufts College Lecture.

WNAC, BOSTON.

11:58 A. M.—Time Signals.
4:00—Dance music, Shepard Colonial Orchestra.
4:30—Selections on the Weber-Duo-Art Pianola.
4:30—Dance music, Shepard Colonial Orchestra.
4:50—Selections on Victrola.

WGY, SCHENECTADY.

(400 METERS.)

6:00—Market reports and news bulletins.
7:45—Musical program. Piano and vocal solos and selections by the General Electric Band.

KDKA, EAST PITTSBURGH.

6:15—Dinner concert by the KDKA Little Symphony Orchestra.
7:05—Men's evening.
7:30—Bedtime story.
8:15—Address by prominent business men.
8:30—Concert by the Little Symphony Orchestra.

WJZ, NEWARK.

6:00—Business and industrial conditions in the United States as observed by the National Industrial Conference Board.
7:00—Bedtime stories.
7:15—Stories.
7:30—"Lincoln's Ideal of America," by Mabel Washburn, secretary of the National Historical Society, associate editor of the Journal of American History.
8:45—"Boyhood Memories of Abraham Lincoln," by Rev. Chas. F. Cassidy, D.D., former rector for 44 years of the Trinity Episcopal Church, New Rochelle, N. Y. Dr. Cassidy, as a youth, called pills in his father's drug store in Springfield, Ill., for Abraham Lincoln. His address will include many fond memories of his contact with "Honest Abe."
9:00—Addresses as delivered before the Thirty-seventh Annual Lincoln Dinner of the National Republican Club in the ballroom of Hotel Waldorf-Astoria, Nathaniel A. Elsberg, president of the club, will be the toastmaster. The program includes "Divine Guidance," asked by Right Rev. William T. Manning, D.D. "Abraham Lincoln," by Hon. Irvine L. Lenroot, U. S. Senator from Wisconsin; "Our Country," by Major-General C. R. Edwards, commander of the 29th Division of the American army in France. "The Rose of New York," by Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, and "The Duty of the Republican Party to the Constitution," by Hon. James S. Wadsworth, Jr., U. S. Senator from New York.

KYW, CHICAGO.

(400 METERS.)

7:30—News, financial and final market, and sport summary. "Movies of the Day" furnished by Pathe Exchange.
7:50—Bedtime stories.
9:00—Musical program, courtesy of Lyon & Healy Concert and Artist Department and Miss Jones and his orchestra at College Inn, Chicago.
10:00—Time and sports.
10:05—Special features as announced by Radiophone.

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD

(523 Meters)

7:30—Bedtime story (Animal Guessing Contest). "Abraham Lincoln," by Colonel Charles L. Young.
7:45—Business conditions.
8:00—"Lincoln the Emancipator," by Robert L. Tullet, author of "Chain Breakers." Recital by pupils of Miss. Eugenie Tessier.

PWX, HAVANA.

9:00—Special program of Cuban and American military music of war days.
10:30—Address to the United States veterans of the World War by Lemuel Bolles, national adjutant of the American Legion.

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PARENT YIELDS TO DEFIANT GIRL ELOPER

$100,000 in Rum Seized on Gould Island

SMUGGLED FROM SHIP AT SEA

Two Arrested in Raid at Barnegat Inlet, New Jersey

Toms River, N. J., Feb. 12.—A raiding party of deputy sheriffs commanded by Under Sheriff Alfred W. Brown, of Ocean County, N. J., went aboard three houseboats tied to a pier at Clam Island, on the George J. Gould estate about a mile inside Barnegat Inlet, N. J., and seized 600 cases of Bermuda whiskey, valued at $100,000.

They arrested Frank Watson, of Manhattan and Conrad Nicugolaisen, captain of a fishing schooner at Barnegat City, N. J. The accused men were brought here and are held in $1,500 bail each for a hearing before United States Commissioner Jeffrey.

The Ocean County authorities said that the whiskey was brought into the Inlet late Saturday night on board Nicugolaisens fishing schooner from ships outside the three mile limit and then transferred to the house boats tied to Clam Island. This island is about three-fourths of a mile wide and is used by Mr. Gould as a duck hunting preserve.

According to Under Sheriff Brown additional arrests will be made in the case within the next two or three days. Watson and Nicugolaisen were said to have been aboard the house boats when the deputies arrived, sorting out the cases of whiskey and apparently getting ready to move the stuff again.

HUB MAN IS SLAIN AS BANDIT

Harry McDonald of South Boston Killed in Cincinnati Holdup

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 12.—His attempt to rob Max Kapner, shoe proprietor here, cost the life of Harry McDonald of South Boston and the arrest of his companion, who registered as Jack O'Brien of St. Louis, Ky.

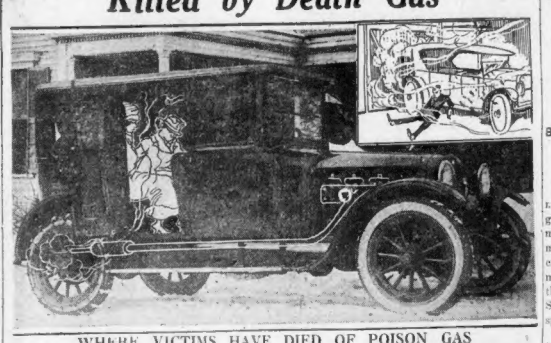
Kapner told the police that the pair entered his store, one of them holding him up at the point of two revolvers.

He grappled with the gunman and obtaining possession of a revolver shot McDonald, inflicting a wound in his chest from which he died.

A third man, registering as Elmer Bailey, twenty-one, Springfield, Mass., was held when he came to the jail and sought to converse with O'Brien.

Bailey said he had been occupying a room here with O'Brien and McDonald, but denied having participated in the attempted robbery.

Autoists Warned After Twelve Are Killed by Death Gas



WHERE VICTIMS HAVE DIED OF POISON GAS

Twelve deaths in Massachusetts in a year is the toll from deadly carbon monoxide, mostly from automobile fumes. Fresh air is the only insurance. Proper ventilation will prove a safeguard.

Carbon Monoxide More Dangerous Than Many Poisons Because It Catches Victims Unawares

Beware the deadly carbon monoxide.

This gas poison is more deadly than carbolic acid, bichloride of mercury or cyanide of potassium, because it comes upon the victim unawares, is bred in the most casual circumstances and causes symptoms which are negligible and frequently unrecognizable.

And most amazing of all it leaves the victim with the flush of life on his cheeks.

When Stella Zeisloft and Harry Devine were found dead in a Glouchester home last October, the police spent days trying to find the murderer, and it was a medical examiner who finally located the killer.

The killer's name was Carbon Monoxide. It was found that the two persons died as the result of oxygen being exhausted from the air they were breathing, through the action of a gas-burning hot water heater.

IN CLOSED GARAGE.

Recently a man went into the private garage back of his house. With the garage door locked, he started his engine and was tinkering with a spark plug when he fell senseless to the floor. When somebody opened the garage door a few minutes later the man was dead. Again there was mystery. Again the autopsy showed "carbon monoxide" as the cause of death.

In December of last year Mrs. Lizzie Carlston was found dead in bed at her home in South Boston. Again "carbon monoxide" was the cause established by the medical examiner after an autopsy.

Only a few days ago the bodies of Arthur Boisvert and Nellie Clemas were found in Boisvert's sedan in a road near Lowell. The closed doors of the sedan, preventing adequate ventilation, had given the carbon monoxide gas a chance to claim two more victims.

In the words of Dr. Bernard W. Carey, State epidemiologist:

"Carbon monoxide exerts its extraordinary dangerous action on the body by displacing oxygen from its combination with hemoglobin, the coloring matter of the blood, which normally absorbs oxygen and delivers it to the different tissues of the body."

TWELVE IN YEAR.

During the past year twelve people in the State of Massachusetts died from carbon monoxide poisoning. This is according to the records of the Vital Statistics Bureau of the Commonwealth. Not all cases of carbon monoxide poisoning were reported, however, so it is safe to assume that a great many more fatalities resulted.

In addition there were scores of cases of serious illness resulting from this form of gas poisoning.

GIVES NO WARNING.

Dr. Merrill Champion, director of the Division of Hygiene, State Health Department, stated today that the "insidious" carbon monoxide gives no warning of its approach. Like a serpent it grips its victim unawares and, like a serpent, it strikes hard and fatally the first time.

"The symptoms of carbon monoxide poison are negligible. Even a person looking for the symptoms can not find them and, of course, the unsuspecting victim of this insidious gas is taken absolutely unawares.

"It takes only a small quantity of carbon monoxide to cause death. That shows its deadly qualities and the need for extreme caution on the part of the public.

SURE INSURANCE.

"Fresh air at all times is a sure insurance against this malady. For, where there is fresh air, the carbon monoxide will not form. Many fatal cases have occurred in garages, especially in small private garages.

"The exhaust gradually consumes the oxygen in the air. Before he knows it, the man breathes in the fatal gas and drops.

"Immediate resuscitation methods may save him, but the slightest delay means the loss of any hope.

"A great many people today suffer more or less from carbon monoxide poisoning, even though they don't realize it. If you are in a room that is close and you get a headache the chances are you are having a slight attack of gas poisoning.

TWO SIMPLE RULES.

"There are two simple rules for the public to follow to guard against death from carbon monoxide gas poisoning.

"First—Be sure that all gas jets are closed when not in use.

"Second—Keep all rooms, garages and other places ventilated."

The official publication of the United States Health Department states that carbon monoxide gas unites with the coloring matter of the blood and prevents it from taking oxygen to the tissues.

A person under the influence of liquor was no more susceptible than any other person except that his senses are more dulled and that he might, therefore, more readily succumb to the drowsiness that preceded the end.

The "white damp" of the mines is, in reality, carbon monoxide poison.

Cardinal Dougherty Home

New York, Feb. 12.—Cardinal Dougherty of Philadelphia arrived today on the steamer Megantic from a cruise to the West Indies.

REFUSED TO GIVE UP HUSBAND

Brooklyn Maid, 17, and Youth, 18, Arrested in South End Lodging House

Parental objection, elopement, arrest, defiance and forgiveness—in fact, all the romance and thrills that any maiden of sweet seventeen could ask for outside of the movies, have been crowded into the young life of pretty Sigrid Schroeder DeGroot in the short space of a month.

To all of which William DeGroot, her eighteen-year-old partner in their remarkable adventure in love, subscribes with a hearty sigh of relief.

Their arrest in a West Springfield street lodging house as suspicious persons on Saturday night last, was one episode in the romance that they had not counted upon.

SCHOOLDAY SWEETHEARTS.

Sigrid was graduated from the Erasmus Hall High School of Brooklyn, N. Y., last year with "Bill" DeGroot. They were sweethearts then. And when they both landed jobs with the United States Title Guarantee Company of their home city their romance became so overwhelmingly sweet that they naturally gravitated toward wedding bells and a love nest.

Sigrid's mother, however, was contrary-minded. She insisted that the pair wait. But they couldn't and instead of going to work on the morning of January 13, last, they slipped off to Boston.

GET JOBS IN HUB.

Mother Schroeder was not quite a good enough detective to locate them at first although she wrote to hundreds of marriage license bureaus throughout the country seeking word of her daughter.

Meanwhile Sigrid and "Bill" had obtained work in Boston unaware of the hue and cry as they honeymooned around the city after working hours. So that it was a rude shock to be told that they were "pinched" on Saturday night last.

Some kind friend had betrayed them to Ma Schroeder.

DEFIES MOTHER.

It was a downcast Sigrid who marched into the East Dedham street station with her "Bill." Grilled by the police, he showed the papers that proved that they had been married by an Episcopalian clergyman in Cambridge on January 23.

Then mother appeared on the heels of her telegram asking the Boston police to hold the pair. From despondency Sigrid rose to defiance. She absolutely would not go back without "Bill."

Mother had to give in and today they're all celebrating in the maternal home at Brooklyn.

PROCURE YOUR 'HANDY BAG' TODAY

Today's the day!

If you weren't among the eager throng that visited the Boston American's first floor today to get the famous "Handy Bag," you still have tomorrow, and the next day, too, but don't forget that there is only a limited supply and to guard against disappointment, come early.

Bring three coupons clipped from consecutive issues of the Boston American and these, together with 33 cents, entitle you to the most sensational bag of the day.

Of course, if you can't come to the Boston American the bag will be sent to you if you mail the three coupons and enclose 33 cents with five cents extra for postage and address Handy Bag Department, Boston American.

If you don't think these smart looking, long grained black leatherette bags with "100 uses" are the most practical combination handbag, pocketbook and shopping bag one could possibly want, ask somebody who owns one.

Just pull out a flap and, lo, you have a shopping bag of large capacity. Snap again, and you have a smart handbag, with pocketbook attached. But what's the use of telling you anything more about it—come in and see for yourself.

Start clipping your coupons today!

Some of 100 Uses New 'Handy Bag' Provides For

A few of the 100 uses of Boston's new sensational "Handy Bag":

Pocketbook.	Laundry bag.
Hand bag.	Shopping bag.
School bag.	Lunch bag.
Carryall.	Sewing bag.
Waste bag.	Skate bag.

CHARGES JILTED FIANCE VOWED TO KILL HER

Susie Parente, beautiful young Italian girl of No. 124 Everett street, East Boston, decided to exercise her woman's prerogative of changing her mind.

For that, she related in East Boston court today her sweetheart Nicola Pagliuchia, of No. 37 Haynes street, East Boston, poked a revolver in her face and told her if she'd change her mond back again she'd have none to change.

She told him she would listen to his words of love, but the first chance she got she swore out a warrant for Nicola's arrest.

SUSIE CHANGES MIND.

It appears that Susie is a newcomer to these shores, having been here only a little over a year. Her arrival in the Italian colony at East Boston created a sensation. She was a Neapolitan flapper and although she could spik no goof Algnlesh her dark eyes could speak any language. She agreed to marry Nicola, but they went to City Hall and got a license.

Shortly after the license was secured, Susie suffered a change of mind.

But, in the meantime Nicola had proceeded with the details of a wedding that he fondly expected would be East Boston history for months. When Susie told him she intended to continue in single blessedness, he swore she would rue the day she jilted him.

THREATENED HER LIFE.

Walking hom one day last week, Susie told the court, Nicola bounded out from behind a tree in Sumner street, and stuck a gun under her nose.

"If you do not change your mind back again and promise to marry me, I shall kill you," Susie says Nicola said.

She told him she would marry him.

Thus placated, Nicola put his revolver away. As soon as she could, Susie got out the warrant.

In court today, Nicola said he had not had time to get an attorney. The case was then continued until tomorrow.

$15,000 Fire in Maine

Kennebunkport, Me., Feb. 12.—The residence of Mrs. Annie R. Talbot, widow of Julius Talbot, part owner of the Talbot mills at Biddeford, Mass., was damaged to the extent of $15,000 today.

BACK BAY WOMAN TAKES POISON

Mrs. Maude Stratton, thirty-five years old, of No. 39 St. Botolph street, Back Bay, was treated for chlorine tablet poisoning at the Haymarket Relief Hospital. She will recover.

The police say she swallowed poison in a room at the Hotel Commonwealth, West End, with suicidal intent. She registered at the hotel as Miss L. Newton.

She declared when taken to the hospital her name was Maude Trafton. Later she changed it to Stratton, which, police declare, is the name she is known by.

WANDA HAWLEY ON WAY TO EGYPT

London, Feb. 12.—Wanda Hawley, movie star, who is reported to be suing for divorce in America, arrived here in the Celtic and has left for Marseilles en her way to Cairo. She was accompanied by her manager, J. S. Wilkinson. She is going to Egypt to participate in filming of Conan Doyle's "Fires of Fate."

Wanda Hawley.

CONTRACTOR DIES IN DORCHESTER

The funeral of Michael S. Kelliher, building contractor, who died at his home at No. 71 North Monroe terrace, Dorchester, was held today from St. Anne's Church, Neponset. Mr. Kelliher is survived by a widow, three sons and four daughters. He had been engaged in the contracting business in and around Boston for more than a quarter of a century and completed several buildings for the Boston School, Park and Fire Departments.

CHARGES MATE USED HER LIKE PUNCHING BAG

A cauliflower ear is not conducive to employment as an artist's model.

This is why Mrs. Walter E. Merrill of Cambridge, artist's model, sued for a divorce.

A decree was granted her today in Cambridge Probate Court by Judge Leggat, after the judge had listened to Mrs. Merrill's story of her married life, which appears to have consisted of one bat in the ear after another.

The suit was uncontested.

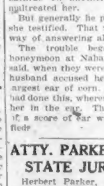
Mrs. Merrill testified that Walter, who is a sanitary engineer, beat her up with regularity that got to be annoying, threw her downstairs on one occasion, knocked her into a bathtub on another and generally maltreated her.

But generally he pounded her ear, she testified. That was his favorite way of answering all arguments.

The trouble began during the honeymoon at Nahant, Mrs. Merrill said, when they were dining, and her husband accused her of taking the largest ear of corn. She denied she had done this, whereupon he punched her in the ear. This was the first of a score of ear wallops, she testified.

ATTY. PARKER FOR STATE JURY SYSTEM

Herbert Parker, former attorney general, vigorously defended the Massachusetts jury system in an address before law school students in Phillips Brooks House, Harvard University.



Herbert Parker

"You do not need to destroy an office because some one holding it is not worthy, or destroy a system because some servants to the trust are unfaithful," he declared. "Treat the jurors," he exhorted the students "as though you fully believe they would do their duty. Don't appeal to prejudice or passion and never talk down to a jury."

PEACE PARLEY IN MILL STRIKE AT LUDLOW

Ludlow, Feb. 12.—Fred M. Knight, agent of the State Board of Labor and Industry, went into conference today with Selectman Thomas Hyland, mill officials and strike leaders in an effort to adjust the wage controversy that resulted in a strike of carders a week ago at the jute plant of the Ludlow Manufacturing Associates.

Agent H. W. Morrill of the Associates agreed Saturday to submit the wage question to the board. The entire plant was close dtoday, partly owing to curtailment of production due to the strike and also because it is customary to close on town meeting day.

Twenty-five world war veterans and others were sworn in as special officers—as a result of the "law and order" mass meetings held in the town yesterday, when it was voted to take steps to prevent any further outbreak of disorder such as the rioting of last Thursday.

ITALIAN PRINCESS TO WED BELGIAN

Rome, Feb. 12.—It is reported here that the betrothal of Princess Mafalda, second daughter of King Victor Emmanuel, to Crown Prince Leopold of Belgium, will be announced immediately following the marriage of Princess Yolanda to Count Calvi di Bergolo. The Princess Yolanda is the eldest daughter of the King.

Princess Mafalda.

GETS NEW BEAUTY PRIZE IN RANDOLPH

Mrs. Helen Donovan of Randolph was chosen "Miss Valentine" in a beauty contest held in conjunction with the annual reunion of the Young Men's Catholic Lyceum of Randolph.

This is the second time this young lady has captured a beauty prize in Randolph.

She is the wife of James V. Donovan, treasurer of the Randolph Trust Company.

Mrs. Helen Donovan.

GIRL AND MAN ARE DYING FROM BOOZE

Two persons, one a young woman, are dying, and another is seriously ill at the City Hospital suffering from alcoholism.

Miss Alice French, thirty-one years old, of No. 46 Hampden street, Roxbury, was taken from her home by the police when she was reported as in a critical condition.

Christopher Dowd of No. 759 Westville street, Dorchester, was picked up on Washington street, Roxbury. He had been unconscious for hours, hospital authorities say. Little hope is held for his recovery.

John Doonan, a special police officer, of No. 111 Carolina avenue, Jamaica Plain, was found in Green street. He will recover, it is said.

DOVER ST. DODGERS
No "CHAPPIE"
"PAT" O'MEARA
(TH' VICTIMS)

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

DOVER ST. DODGERS
TH' THREE MUSKETEERS
PAUL "TIM" "FRANK"
KELLY DONOVAN WHALEN

YOUNG MANTY TACKLES JOE CURRIE IN BOUT TONIGHT

FORD AND FOX ALSO ON CARD AT TRIPLE A

By JACK CONWAY.

Young Manty and Joe Currie top the card at the Armory A. A.'s show at the Grand Opera House tonight. The distance is ten rounds, and if the grand old dope counts for anything the mill will be jammed with all kinds of thrills.

Manty is the class of the New England featherweights. He recently won over Chick Suggs in a tussle for the New England championship. As he has also bested Red Chapman, he has reason for cheering.

Currie isn't one of those youths who gets upset because the opposition has class. He will go after Manty from the bell, and says he will be well out in front when the final blow has been delivered. Inasmuch as Joseph has a good record to his credit he knows of no reason why he should not emerge from the ring a victor.

It will be Manty's Boston debut. You will witness a real high class performance in action in the person of the New Bedford warrior. He is the most promising featherweight to be developed in New England in years.

Henry Ford, North End featherweight, will have Johnny Fox of Woburn as an opponent in the semi-final of ten rounds. This should be a lively mill. Ford has been boxing well of late and recently won over Freddy Madden of East Boston. Fox also handed the dope a jolt a short time back when he surged out front and grabbed a decision from Steve Gustin.

There will also be a couple of bang-up eight rounders.

'Tis a card of action and should please.

Willie Harmon Will Get Th' Acid Test

Willie Harmon, who has won thirty straight bouts, will receive the well known acid test when he collides with Sailor Friedman of Chicago in the feature ten-round bout of an all-star card at the Fenway A. A.'s show at Mechanics Building Thursday night.

Harmon has proved a riot, as he has bowled over all kinds of tough opposition.

"How good is Harmon?" has been a question which has been frequently asked by footie fans.

You will get your answer Thursday night. Friedman is one of the leading welterweights in this country, as he recently proved when he knocked out Eddie Fitzsimmons at Madison Square Garden, New York.

Dick Curley, Friedman's manager, says his protege is also prepared to make 135 pounds for a bout with Benny Leonard. Friedman gave Leonard an interesting engagement in Philadelphia several years ago.

Short-Enders Continue To Make Things Merry

The short-enders have been coming through in grand style this year. Rocky Kansas gave the boys who risk their jack on ring matches a frightful wallop when he won over Charley White in New York the other night. The price was 3 to 1, with White a favorite.

Frankie Mason, who battles Pancho Villa at the Arena A. C.'s big show at Mechanics Building tomorrow night, may hop aboard the short-enders' wave and surge to victory. Mason has never lost a bout to a flyweight, while he has conquered most of our bantamweights. As a result, he figures he will be able to hand an upset to the hard-hitting Villa.

Villa Eager to Battle Lynch and Wilde.

Villa has his plans set for bouts with Jimmy Wilde and Joe Lynch. Wilde is coming to this country early this Summer and Villa is confident he will prove he has the best right to a shot at the English wonder. Frankie Mason and Frankie Genaro will try to upset the plans. After the Wilde match, provided he is successful in landing it, the Filipino will go after a contest with Joe Lynch. This writer believes Villa would have more trouble defeating Wilde than he would have in winning over Lynch. The latter has shown to poor advantage in his last two starts.

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George Caiza, Italian heavyweight wrestling champion, will receive some tough opposition Thursday night when he clashes with Ali Hassan, Terrible Turk, in a finish bout at the Old Howard's show at the Grand Opera House Tuesday night. Hassen is a powerful giant. He is six feet five inches tall and weighs 274 pounds. He has held Joe Stecher to a draw, while he defeated Wladeck Zbyszko in a handicap match.

Joe Perelli, Italian wildman, will oppose Eddie Shaboo of the U. S. S. Florida in another finish contest.

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That's that!

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Now for two weeks of Winter sports at North Conway, N. H.

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We are thankful there are no boxing clubs in that bustling community.

Lexington Plays Two

The Lexington High School boys' basketball five will play two games this week. On Wednesday it will oppose Winchester and on Friday it will play Belmont.

Jack Conway Takes a Whirl Into the World of Finance

This is just how Jack Conway told it to Jim, one of our best little bookies, today:

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"Say, Jim, I'm going up to North Conway, N. H., for a couple of weeks of Winter sports. And I want to have some reserve when I land back in the North Station. So here's $25 which I want you to parlay as follows:

"Pancho Villa to win over Frankie Manson.

"Sailor Friedman to toss Willie Harmon for a loss.

"George Caiza to conquer Ali Hassen.

"I'll be around in a couple of weeks to collect the winnings."

How does that parlay look to you?

'Tis the offering for the week in Boston.

Try it on your radio.

Maybe it will make you weep.

Then, again, it may make the bookies run up the flag of defeat.

P. C. . 775

THOMAS IS READY FOR A MATCH

Those who saw Jack Thomas and Nate Siegel swap punches for three rounds Saturday at Kelley & Hayes gym were greatly impressed at the marked improvement shown by Thomas. When last here, Thomas showed promise, but was somewhat crude.

Jack Thomas

Nate Siegel had the following to say about Thomas: "Jack will surprise the first gathering before which he performs. He has mastered most of the fine points, which he lacked when last seen in Boston, and still possesses a tremendous sock in either hand."

Several of the promoters are said to be considering matches with Al Sears, Willie Harmon, Pete Latzo, Tony Julian, Paul Doyle, Rocky Smith and Frankie Quill.

"Red" Stoller, manager of Thomas, is ready to sign a contract to meet any one of the above mentioned. It remains with the promoter to get the other end of the match. Thomas will make 145 pounds for anybody.

Who wants a real match? Thomas is ready!

RED CHAPMAN WILL FIGHT ROMEO ROACH

Red Chapman, the world's junior featherweight champion, has been matched by his manager, Charlie Cardio, to box Romeo Roach of Holyoke ten rounds for the Valley A. C. of Holyoke, Friday night.

Chapman has been offered a date with Jack Sharkey at Newark, N. J., on February 22, and may take the match if Sharkey will make 125 pounds at 3 o'clock.

Hockey Lineup at Arena Tonight

FIRST GAME.

BOSTON C.		QUEENS.
Hughes, rw		lw., Brown
Foley, c		c, Boucher
Culhane, lw		rw, Gibson
L. Morrissey, rd		ld., Smith
Garrity, ld		rd., McDonald
Fitzgerald, g		g, Quinn

SECOND GAME.

VICTORIA.		S. NICHOLAS.
Williams, rw		lw, Townsend
Synnott, c		c, Buntin
Conley, lw		rw, Bierwirth
J. Healy, rd		ld, von Bernuth
Skilton, ld		rd, Walker
Dougan, g		g, Holmes

MAT CHAMPIONSHIPS GET MANY ENTRIES

Entries have begun to come in for the New England A. A. A. U. wrestling championships, which will be held February 20 at the Cambridge Y. M. C. A. Carlton Beau, in the 135-pound class, and George Myerson, in the 147-pound class, of the Boston Young Men's Christian Union have filed their entries.

A letter from the Springfield College, at Springfield, states that their entire wrestling team, embracing all weights, will be entered for the New Englands. It looks now as if it will be one of the best entry lists that the New Englands have had for several years.

DAZZLING FILIPINO AND HIS RING RIVAL

FRANKIE MASON

PANCHO VILLA

DOUBLE BILL CARDED FOR HOCKEY FANS

Hockey in large and attractive portions will be served this week at the Arena. One of Boston's two unbeaten teams—stands an excellent chance of having its record punctured tonight when Boston College plays the crack Queen's College team of Kingston, Ont. In the other half of the twin bill tonight the Victorias will meet St. Nicholas in the United States League series.

After Queen's is through with Boston College tonight the Canadians will rest up for Wednesday's big test with Harvard. Since Harvard and Boston College rank with the leading hockey of the country it will be interesting to compare the scores of their games with Queen's.

The long awaited clash between B. A. A. and New Haven is down for decision Thursday night. This match has an important bearing on the national hockey affairs. The Unicorn has been sailing along without any serious opposition. But the team meets a tough obstacle in the New Haven outfit.

Then as a backing good week-end attraction Manager Brown offers Harvard and Cornell and the Victorias and Canadian Club of New York in a United States League game. Certainly this is a hockey program that should whet the appetites of the fans in this section.

WHITE MUST PAY $2,500 FOR OVERWEIGHT

New York, Feb. 12.—Charlie White, Chicago lightweight, who lost a 15-round decision Friday night to Rocky Kansas of Buffalo, must forfeit $2,500 for being twelve ounces over the stipulated weight of 135 pounds for the match.

Chairman William Muldoon of the State Boxing Commission, who had not received the promised protest of White's manager to surrendering the $2,500, said today that he probably would order payment to Kansas if the proposition is placed formally before him.

LYNN CLUB BILLS 44 ROUNDS

Being unable to secure a suitable opponent for Harry Martin of Providence for tonight, Matchmaker Jack Murphy of the Casino A. C. of Lynn has decided to stage a show calling for 44 rounds of boxing which will supply the Shoe City fans with plenty of action. All the boys that will appear at the Casino A. C. tonight have satisfied in previous engagements and are paired as follows:

Six rounds, Young Ross of Hartson; six rounds, Tommy Cayton, South End, vs. Tommy Dalton, Charlestown; eight rounds, Jimmy McDonough, South Boston, vs. Bert Jones, Revere; eight rounds, Howard McCrae of Cambridge vs. Frankie Buff, Holyoke; eight rounds, Harry Foley, North End, vs. Billy Blaikie, Medford, and eight rounds, Tommy Hart, West End, vs. Eddie Campi, New York.

FINALS OF THE GOLD SKATES AT ARENA

The GOLD SKATES RACES will be conducted at the Boston Arena next Saturday afternoon.

The two postponements—last Saturday and the Saturday before—made necessary by the inclement weather, decided those in charge of the races that it would be poor policy to risk another such postponement by rescheduling the races for Jamaica Pond, and negotiations were entered into with George V. Brown, manager of the St. Botolph street rink, whereby the semi-final and final races in Greater Boston's first annual ice skating derby will be held on the certain surface of Boston's indoor ice palace.

It was with genuine regret that a further postponement of the races was made. The GOLD SKATES RACE authorities and Boston Park Department officials, hoped against hope all Saturday morning that the snow storm would give way to clear weather, plows and scrapers were at work early in the morning to keep the racing course as free as possible from the feathery downfall, but the storm continued and at 10 o'clock it was definitely decided that the races must be postponed.

But there will be no chance of a postponement this week. Ice conditions at the Arena can be counted upon, and inclement weather outside cannot annoy those within the edifice, and in consequence the races will be conducted under excellent conditions no matter what the weather or atmospheric conditions are on that day.

A nominal fee of but 25 cents will be charged the spectators, and this will permit them skating privileges after the racing program is completed. The contestants, who qualified at the Franklin Field trial races two weeks ago, and the officials will report at the Arena between 1:30 and 2 o'clock when they will be issued free passes.

GAS EMPLOYES TO HOLD ANNUAL BALL

The annual ball of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company Associates will be held tonight at Hibernian Hall, Roxbury.

Members of the bowling team are active in arranging this affair.

The officers of the Associates are Charles Pilato, president; John J. Donovan, secretary; Edwin J. Ritchie, financial secretary; Thomas F. Sheehan, treasurer.

Anna McKeon

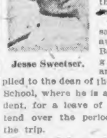
The reception committee is made up of Joseph Sheehan, chairman; Charles Duffley, Fred Todd, Chris. Cunningham, William Shuttleworth, Norman Gentle and Joseph Crane.

The aids are the Misses Catherine Conroy, Marion Maloney, Hope Kershaw, Hazel Yiley, Myra Schwartz, Janet Sturmleaf, Mabel Maddox, Myrtle Davis, Evelyn Gill, Alice Leary, May Muse, Ella Newcomb, Anna Murphy, Marion Lane, Margaret Lorden, Anna O'Toole, May Shields, Catherine Donelon, Lillian Giroux and Anna McKeon.

SWEETSER IS ON AMERICAN TEAM

New York, Feb. 12.—Jesse W. Sweetser, national amateur golf champion, will be a member of the American team that will go to England in the Spring to contest for the Walker Cup and subsequently for the British amateur title.

It was also said on good authority that Bobby Jones, the great Atlanta amateur, had applied to the dean of the Harvard Law School, where he is a first-year student, for a leave of absence to extend over the period required for the trip.



Jesse Sweetser.

Francis Oulmet, who has been offered the captaincy of the team, signified his intention of taking part in the quest of the British title some time ago.

YOUNG KENNOYER IS LOOKING FOR BOUTS

Young Kennoyer of Derry, N. H., the featherweight champion of New Hampshire, is now making his headquarters in Boston. He has fought some very good boys. His record shows victories over Bert Jones, Kid Lee, Kid Dolan, Buddy Dolan and a 12-round draw with K. O. Charlie Elkins. He would like a match with Harry Foley or Dutch Reagan.

WALTHOUR-GOULLET LEADING BIKE RACE

Chicago, Feb. 12.—Bobby Walthour, Jr., paired with Alfred Goullet, was leading the field of six-day bicycle racers here early today and the team was second in points with 28 to its credit. At 7:30 o'clock the distance was announced as 226 miles and three laps. Hill and Taylor and Horan and Thomas were tied for first in points, each team being credited with 29.

Sarazen Tells How to Play Golf

By GENE SARAZEN
World's Champion Golfer

The Perfect Mashie Iron Backswing.

In the backswing of the mashie iron the left knee and the left hip are turned in toward the ball, leaving the right shoulder close to the body. The left heel is raised slightly.

The left arm is perfectly straight, with the left wrist held under the club.

The right leg is perfectly straight and the club head is closed slightly. The hands are not higher than the right shoulder. The head is held fixedly in position.

The right elbow is held close to the body, while the club is held diagonally across the shoulder. As for the twist of the body, it is still in position.

PUNCHO PANCHO VILLA TO TRY FOR DECISIVE WIN

By Ringside.

Puncho Pancho Villa has come to town!

The world's greatest flyweight will display his amazing ability as a fighter when he battles Frankie Mason at the Arena A. C.'s show at Mechanics Building tomorrow night.

Naturally everybody who saw the sensational little Filipino conquer Danny Edwards and Young Montreal will be anxious to see how he fares when opposed by Mason.

The latter claims the American flyweight championship. Villa supposed he held this title as a result of a knockout victory over Johnny Buff. Mason then announced from his home at Fort Wayne, Ind., that, although he had lost a fifteen-round decision to Buff, the contest was not for the title.

The articles of agreement provide that the Mason-Buff bout was at 116 pounds. To be more exact Buff scaled 116 pounds, while Mason entered the ring at 115 pounds. Therefore, Mason did not lose his title.

Villa says he does not care how many titles Mason claims as he will try to count a decisive victory tomorrow night. Which causes Mason to remark that he has never been defeated by a flyweight.

We consider Villa the world's greatest flyweight regardless of whether he holds a title or not. It will be remembered that Jack Conway gave the fans the first low down on Puncho Pancho. He told the world how he would defeat Edwards, Montreal and Goldstein.

Villa is a fighting fool. He punches from every angle and will come pretty near knocking out any man up to 120 pounds whom he can hit on the jaw with one of his terrific right-hand socks.

Puncho Pancho is spectacular. He whirls around the ring in an inimitable way. He can hit equally well with each hand, while he is a wonder in getting out of the way of his opponent's thrusts. Remember how Villa made Young Montreal miss repeatedly?

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Mason claims that straight punching will offset Villa's heavy punching. Time will tell.

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Mike Bellrino, Filipino bantamweight, will clash with Billy Fitzsimmons of Chelsea in the semi-final of ten rounds.

Steve Gustin of South Boston and Louis Leonard of the North End will box eight rounds, while another lightweight affair will also be staged.

Morello After Reagan

Johnny Morello of East Boston, who won his twelfth straight victory in Portland the other night, would like to battle Dutch Reagan for the featherweight championship of East Boston. Also he would like to take on Frankie Ryan as soon as he land in O. K.

Selections for New Orleans Races

NEW YORK AMERICAN HANDICAPPER

1—Black Gold, Roly, Will Land.
2—Helen Alfin, Burgoyne, Ina K.
3—Sagamore, Monastery, Sewed Combs.
4—Calcutta, Lady Inez, Vanin.
5—Reposter, Mello Fiddler, Devastate.
6—Walkure, Who Cares, Mocky.
7—Rap, Cantilever, Spugs.

BEST OF THE DAY

1—Don Donovan, Black Gold, Will Land.
2—Ina Kay, Burgoyne, Gasoliner.
3—Madrian, Sagamore, Sewed Combs.
4—Calcutta, Crash o' Dawn, Vonnie.
5—Reposter, Magician, Mello Fiddler.
6—Who Cares, Tribune, A. M. Atain.
7—Rap, My Rose, Ashlad.

AT TIA JUANA

1—Wee Ruth, Joe Campbell, Fahey Fans.
2—Jack Pot, Coombs, Onwa.
3—Billy Gibson, Gates-Kerry, Dancing Girl.
4—Pueblo, Rose Athis, View.
5—Don Jose, Pueblo, Canned.
6—Reuben, Sunnyland, Madness.
7—Paisley, Knighthood, Joella P.
8—Mixed Date, Quincy Ward, Jack Zeal.

JUDSON CLUB WILL HOLD ITS REUNION

The former Judson Social and Athletic Club of Chelsea, an organization well known among the wrestling and boxing fans before the war, will hold a grand reunion and banquet. The committee in charge is making elaborate plans for this affair. The banquet committee is J. Friteman, D. Gold, S. Faike, N. Quint, E. Aranson, J. Krivitsky and D. Hoffman.

TITLE GO AS REWARD FOR BIG BOUT WINNER

New York, Feb. 12.—It was reported today that Joe Lynch, bantamweight champion, has signified his willingness to meet the winner of the bout between Carl Tremaine of Cleveland and Irish Johnny Curtin of Jersey City, in a championship match. Tremaine will fight to a decision here Friday night.

COMB HAIR—AND IT STAYS

Millions Keep Hair Combed, Glossy, Well-Groomed—Few Cents Buys Jar any Drugstore—Not Sticky, Smelly

Even obstinate, unruly or shampooed hair stays combed all day in any style you like. "Hair-Groom" is a dignified "combing cream" which gives that natural gloss and well-groomed effect in your hair—that final touch to good dress both in business and on social occasions.

Greaseless, stainless. "Hair-Groom" does not show in the hair because it is absorbed by the scalp, therefore your hair remains soft and pliable and so natural that no one can possibly tell you used it.

RED SOX NEW MANAGER HAS PLENTY OF HARD WORK AHEAD

CHANCE IS BASEBALL'S BEST AUCTIONEER

By NICK FLATLEY.

Before April emerges from our snowdrifts, we're likely to have an entirely new flock of faces surrounding by Red Sox scenery at the Fenway. Frank Chance, new manager looms up as baseball's great auctioneer, and one can almost hear him muttering, "Going, going—" as he peruses the list of athletes handed to him by the club owner.

Time was when any Red Sox trade was merely a routine order for a [illegible] regarding the ruination of a great ball club. That [illegible] was accomplished long since, so a deal nowadays cannot do any harm, and in all probability will help matters.

The last two put through by the club look good enough to us, and augur that Chance will at least try to get his ball club somewhere. He let Pennock go and in return snared three young men from the Yankees who cannot go the club hurt, and figure to strengthen it [illegible].

The Washington swap which brings [illegible] Goebel [illegible] [illegible] in exchange for [illegible] looks like a [illegible] bit of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] one of the four [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] but he didn't want to play with Boston and [illegible] was [illegible] as an expensive engine that won't run.

On the Outs Since Muddy Joined the Club

Young Mister Ruel and Owner Frazee have been on the outs ever since the athletic attorney came to the club. In the first place Ruel was peeved at being [illegible] from an [illegible] couldn't keep out of World's Series [illegible]. In the second, he had contract troubles right off the reel, didn't get along with his manager any too well and [illegible] was a [illegible] of trouble.

This year he was a declared holdout [illegible] perfectly willing to practice [illegible] Of course he didn't mean that [illegible] [illegible] he was anxious [illegible] away from here. So now he has [illegible] Winter [illegible] [illegible] that whatever else he [illegible] he was going to boss a gang [illegible] was willing and anxious to make good.

One Who Thinks Tomorrow Will Not Come

[illegible] is one of those athletes [illegible] never will [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] a mighty good [illegible] with a [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] a few years ago and being a [illegible] a bird the world is a pretty good place to [illegible] [illegible] Western [illegible] [illegible] Senators [illegible]

[illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] at was [illegible] anyhow and that [illegible] let him go [illegible] may be able to [illegible] [illegible] ing seriously. If he does [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

The Sox [illegible]

[illegible] Howard Shanks and [illegible] a [illegible] almost [illegible] his baseball [illegible] He can play a [illegible] a pretty good game at third base, pinch hit [illegible] and outfielder—just the kind of a man that the [illegible] was [illegible] to get. An outfielder like Howard is almost invaluable to a team that is trying to develop youngsters for regular jobs.

Better Than Average As a Pinch Hitter

Goebel is an outfielder who came up with a whale of a reputation from the minors. He never had have much chance to show in Washington, except as a pinch hitter, and [illegible] that difficult job he was better than the average. It's a [illegible] [illegible] catch that he's a [illegible] faster than some of [illegible] Sox regulars were and as [illegible] young fellow [illegible] a very worth while proposition for any building manager.

Ruel, going to Washington, [illegible] with a team that [illegible] [illegible] figure in the pennant chase if it ever gets a start. So he will [illegible] and that club will benefit. The [illegible] Senators coming here will [illegible] a [illegible] replace a dissatisfied star and [illegible] passe pitcher. So the Red Sox will [illegible] be helped. Which [illegible] like a very good [illegible] [illegible] volved.

The Braves, to all appearances are set for their campaign. You can throw last year right out of the reckoning. If Conlon can show enough to play short, and Henry

Where to Watch Pins Fall Tonight

BOSTON CITY CLUB

6.00—Boston Pin Tournament League.

AMATEUR BOSTON PIN LEAGUE

Colonial Club vs. Windsor Club at Watertown. Winthrop Yacht Club vs. Cottage Park Yacht Club at Winthrop. Middlesex Sports Association vs. Boston City Club at Boston. Oxford Club vs. Dorchester Club at Dorchester.

NEW BOSTON ALLEYS

1.00—American Mutual Life Insurance women, 4 teams.
5.00—First National Bank League, 4 teams.
6.00—Master Builders League, 6 teams.
[illegible]—[illegible] Mfg. Co. League, 5 teams.
6.00—General Electric League, women, 4 teams.
6.00—Park Street Men's League Club, 6 teams.
8.00—Boston Stamp League, 4 teams.
8.00—Sons of St. George, 4 teams.

CONGRESS ALLEYS

4.30—Dear[illegible] & B[illegible] Co.'s League [illegible], 6 teams.
6.00—Wilson Co.'s Market League, 4 teams.
8.00—Boston Post Office League, 6 teams.

CHELSEA SQUARE ALLEYS

8.00—[illegible] Fraternal League, 4 teams.

DEWEY SQUARE ALLEYS

5.30—Upper [illegible] League.
8.00—N. Y., N. H. & H. Railroad.
8.00—Decatur & H[illegible].

EAGLE ALLEYS

Eaton Paper Co. League, 4 teams.

HAWLEY STREET ALLEYS.

6.00—Gilchrist Co. League, 8 teams.
8.00—R. R. Transportation League, 8 teams.

HUNTINGTON ALLEYS Y. D. BUILDING.

4.30—Boston Trade School League.
7.00—Boston Masonic League.

NORTH CAMBRIDGE ALLEYS

5.30—New England [illegible] & T[illegible] League, men and women, 6 teams.
8.00—[illegible] Fraternal League, 12 teams.

UNION ALLEYS

5.30—[illegible] & Conies Insurance League, 4 teams.

OFFICERS BEAT BRITISH AT POLO

West Point, N. Y., Feb. 12.—Army's team of officers defeated the [illegible] international [illegible] an international indoor match, [illegible] to 5.

It was the second game the British have played at [illegible] or [illegible]. The first was on Saturday when the [illegible] defeated the [illegible] 9 to 8.

[illegible] horsemen met a team [illegible] of army officers on duty [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] for the [illegible]

[illegible] of the Town [illegible] New York next month [illegible] a remarkable game.

[illegible] the [illegible] British horseman was [illegible] high scorer. The [illegible] No. 1 man [illegible] of Britain's goals.

Major Wilson, a veteran poloist and a member of the team which won the junior championship last Summer, was Army's star.

Captain Egan of the British team displayed excellent form as a back and exhibited a powerful drive and accurate hitting.

The British team left the impression that they are going to be stiff [illegible] for the [illegible] the next two weeks.

Will Play on Wednesday

The Middlesex School hockey team will play St. Mark's on Wednesday at New Concord.

[illegible] that [illegible] manager [illegible] will have a [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] real contenders.

And they have almost the same potential strength now. One of the best anti-season bets we know would be that the team wouldn't finish any worse than sixth in '23.

All Smiles -:- -:- -:- By McGurk

A CERTAIN famous poet told us long, long ago that life's dearest things have fleetest end, and we are wondering if the illustration will prove correct in the case of the bobbed beauty. She has just been voted down by her own gang.

While on the one hand we are [illegible] the bob is a thing of the past, most of the Janes with whom we comport are still sporting classy clips. They can't help it and they don't want to [illegible] in the gentler sex if they take once more to the flowing tresses. Since [illegible] and so [illegible] them [illegible] the tyranny [illegible] the hair pin and [illegible] Even the [illegible] the hairdressers must be [illegible] if long hair is to return. A bob can be waved

[illegible]

[illegible] For [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] type [illegible] of hysterical [illegible] advantage. You can get a grip on a bob. From what we hear. We hate to see the ladies remove from their platform the first sensible and satisfactory plank they put into it. Stick to the bobs, girls, and the bobs will stick to you.

HOW MUCH DO YOU WANT?

WITHOUT doubt, the most [illegible] of a Winter's [illegible] was encountered in [illegible] the [illegible] and esteemed Herald. Endeavoring [illegible] our own fuel commissioner had "practically" no coal in his cellar, the writer [illegible] to write as follows: "[illegible] and about five tons of coal upon which there is no shortage and no embargo." And he goes on to describe "this commonplace situation."

OUR HOROSCOPE

THIS is a[illegible] wedding day.

Children born on this day will have a birthday a year hence.

Stock speculations started today will be unfortunate.

* * *

(Repeat every day for 365, and

you have the whole year all fixed pretty).

WEST END LUKE.

SAM LLOYD'S LONGFELLOW

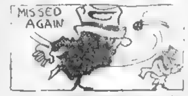
IT shot from his Arrow into the air,
It fell to the floor, he knew not where.
He heard a tinkle, when it fell
His language here we cannot tell.

ANS.—A collar button.

JOSHUA LONG.

THE suit of mail they found in King Tut's tomb probably contained the letters he forgot [illegible]

GOOD [illegible] for [illegible]



[illegible] was never [illegible] A [illegible] the bomb throwers [illegible]

THE AMATEUR AD WRITER

WANTED—Four or five room flat, with [illegible] lords refuse to let 'em in)

LOST—Female Airedale puppy. Answers to name Affinity.

(No wonder she ran away.)

THE returning doughboys who threw the corkscrew [illegible] [illegible] before landing on our dry [illegible] have [illegible] for same now.

LIFE WOULD BE BRIGHTER

IF that quinine stuff [illegible] effect.

If fuel authorities adopted motto "Actions speak louder than words."

If Jess Willard could [illegible] [illegible] this month [illegible] waiting till May.

If we could all get extra [illegible] extensions.

If they found gas [illegible] Luxor tomb.

If the whole of Congress would take trip to Europe.

HAVING a real cold has its advantages. One can't get out to spend a lot of idle change on foolish remedies.

TRY TO HIT IT
(Dedicated to the Day's Best Offering
IN KANSAS

A BILL has been introduced in the Kansas Legislature to bar tea and coffee, because they are stimulants.—News Item.

In Kansas, the reformers
Have vice upon the run,
And they'll shut up all the bakeshops
Before their work is done.
For every kid who buys a cake
Takes home a perfect bun.

O. G.

HENNESSEY HAS FIELD DAY ON ICE

Laconia, N. H., Feb. 12.—J. J. Hennessey won the New England amateur speed skating championship, the feature of the Winnipesaukee Winter carnival.

The Dartmouth speeder won every event except one, the three-mile race, the 880 and 440-yard events and the 220-yard dash and piled up a total of [illegible] points as compared with the [illegible] points of his nearest [illegible] Walter Thorne of Boston.

Hennessey gained permanent possession of the [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] to New England record.

[illegible] Thorne of Boston and [illegible] W. K[illegible] of New York were tied for third place with 30 points [illegible] and Thomas Corcoran of Cambridge and Ernest Ro[illegible] of [illegible] were tied for fifth honors with [illegible] points each.

In the [illegible] Hennessey [illegible] fell and [illegible] Although far behind when he regained his feet, he made a great spurt and landed in third place.

Mile Race—Won by Walter Thorne, Boston; second, Edwin W[illegible], New York; third, J. J. Hennessey, Dartmouth. Time [illegible].

Three Mile Race—Won by J. J. Hennessey, Dartmouth; second, Walter Thorne, Boston; [illegible] Ernest [illegible], Springfield. Time [illegible].

880 Yards—Won by J. J. Hennessey, Dartmouth; second, Walter Thorne, Boston; third, Edwin [illegible], New York. Time [illegible].

440 Yards—Won by J. J. Hennessey, Dartmouth; second, Walter [illegible]; [illegible] Harry [illegible], Boston. [illegible]

[illegible]

McLEAN BREAKS THREE SKATE RECORDS

Saranac Lake, N. Y., Feb. 12.—Bobby McLean of Chicago established three world's skating records [illegible]

[illegible] McLean [illegible] The [illegible] was made [illegible] of Lake Placid.

[illegible] a mark for [illegible] 1.35. The professional [illegible] as follows: N[illegible], 1. R. Johnson, 1.15. [illegible] McLean [illegible] for 440 yards but [illegible] The lowest time [illegible] seconds.

The track was measured by an official surveyor connected with the International Skating Union. The [illegible] were from the same [illegible] tion.

Immediate application will be made to have the records accepted.

READING LEADS IN THE MIDDLE-ESSEX

Reading is the [illegible] of the Middlesex [illegible]

Two league encounters [illegible] its postponed game from [illegible] Friday evening it will take the title. In the other fray Johnson and Methuen will clash on Thursday.

WATERTOWN LOOKS GOOD FOR HONORS

[illegible] Watertown [illegible] It has four straight victories to its credit.

Two league games are booked for this week. Tomorrow afternoon Lexington plays Watertown, and on Thursday Arlington and Winchester will clash.

RECORD ENTRY LIST FOR SCHOOL GAMES

By FRED C. LANE.

The schoolboy athletes are in for a big treat on Saturday. The Greater Boston Interscholastic track meet is the big attraction. Every school in Greater Boston has entered its star performers.

Nineteen high schools have sent in a total of 240 entries.

Boston College High, Boston English High, Commerce High, Brockton, Browne and Nichols, Lynn Classical, Dorchester, Fairhaven, Hyde Park, Lowell, Medford, Milton Academy, Moses Brown, New Bedford, Newton, Powder Point, Quincy, St. John's Prep and Winthrop are the schools that have entered athletes.

The following is the list:

[illegible]

'Y' WILL ORGANIZE A STRONG RIFLE TEAM

A rifle [illegible] the first to be formed by a Young Men's [illegible] is being organized at the [illegible] avenue [illegible]

C. F. Thayer [illegible] of athletes at the [illegible] will handle the [illegible]

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SCOTTISH WOOLLEN TRADE MARK ASSOCIATION LIMITED REGD

[illegible] OF PURE NEW WOOL

Very few [illegible] of pure wool that is new wool that has [illegible] been woven or knitted or used for any purpose whatever.

[illegible] above is all pure and all new. [illegible] the slightest deviation [illegible] standard.

[illegible] Association [illegible] Board of Trade [illegible] composed [illegible] Board of Trade.

The above is part of an ad taken from the Daily Trade Record. In the buy that I made this week from one of Boston's leading lawyers was a great number of pieces stamped with the trade-mark Scottish Woolen. I offer you **Scottish Woolens, Cottage Woven, Hand Woven Irish Homespuns,** together with **Priestley's 14-oz. English Blue Serge.**

Suit to Your Measure $20.00

On receipt of 2c stamp I will send samples and simple system of self measurement.

MITCHELL THE TAILOR

279 Washington Street

OPEN EVENINGS — OPP. WATER STREET

BOSTON AMERICAN'S TWO PAGES OF LAUGHTER

Bobbie and His Pa

By W. F. Kirk

I THINK we shud go to the Country Club dants, sed Ma to Pa last nite.

Do you think such? sed Pa. Bitterly do I bee mone the noi ege that you think such, Pa sed.

We must not allow ourself to get old & dee-krepit, Ma sed.

I am not ok dee krepit, sed Pa. I can deliver a good wallop with eether hand rite to day, sed Pa but I am gitting past the age when it dus appeels to me, sed he.

[illegible] sed Pa. Wen I see a dans I [illegible] mooser limp [illegible] dat a ball with a yung [illegible] sed Pa. It reemines me of a red cross nurse [illegible] a mule [illegible] sed Pa.

I [illegible] sed Pa.

I [illegible] sed a grandpa, sed Ma.

[illegible] are fast, sed Pa. I [illegible] of the grandpa stage, Pa sed At [illegible] now, sed Pa. I dont want to do [illegible] more. & that is final.

[illegible] sed Ma. We [illegible] dants [illegible] sed Pa.

[illegible] Ill go but now I do [illegible] Pa. I wud rather set [illegible] big alders chair sed Pa & [illegible] of the [illegible] sed Pa.

[illegible] and the [illegible] of the [illegible] gone sed Ma. We are living in [illegible] tents sed Ma.

To me [illegible] tent we are living in [illegible] is a house.

Bobbe, sed Ma, will you be good enuff to reed yure littel fairy story & keep yure little mouth from working over-time, if you please, sed Ma.

Yes Bobbie, sed Pa, the yung shud not [illegible] into the coun sils of the old sed Pa.

For heavens sake sed Ma, stop referring to you & me as old peeple sed Ma. We are in the prime of life sed Ma.

Sumtimes I feel prime & sum times pritty well done, sed Pa. Tonite, tho, I go thru the moshuns of going to a dants with you, sed Pa. I will do it with a sad hart. I will go along, sed Pa like the sung gurl in the song sed Pa, when she sinned I'll be all smiles tonite, luv, I'll be all smiles tonite, tho my hart will brake to-morrow. I'll be all smiles tonite.

You are a poor martier, sed Ma, but you are going to that dants, fest the eslm. & you bet Pa went

The Winning Nifties

Today's winners:

In what way do a soldier and machinist resemble a dentist?

They all do a lot of drilling.

MISS MILDRED MURRAY,
Jamestown, R. I.

Work without worry is recreation. Worry without work will wreck creation.

MRS J. J. HEALY,
No. 6 Ward street, Worcester.

How did the giant Goliath lapse into unconsciousness?

David rocked him to sleep.

JAMES FORD,
No. 89 North Main street, Spring-[illegible]

We pay a dollar for each Nifty printed. Send one to the Nifty Editor, Boston American.

EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

The Boston American will pay $1 for every letter published on "The Most Embarrassing Moment in My Life." Address Embarrassing Moments, Boston American.

Some three months ago I met a friend of mine driving a truck loaded with bagged coal, and took a ride with him. He was selling his bagged coal from store to store. The first store he stopped at he sold ten bags, the next place he sold twenty five bags, so I got out to help him take the coal in. Taking three bags at a time I walked into the store the lady clerk told me where to put them. I stooped over quickly so that the ten bags wouldn't fall and break. Imagine my embarrassment when I heard a rip and found it was my trousers instead of the bag of coal.

JOE CARON,
No. 1 Hamilton st., Salem

SMART SAYINGS OF CLEVER CHILDREN

The Boston American will pay $1 for published smart sayings. Address "Smart Sayings," Boston American.

It was a week before Christmas and little Jack had been playing with his toys, which were nearly all broken, having received them the year before. And I said to him: "Jack, Santa Claus won't bring you any new toys when he sees your old toys broken up." And he put his little hand up to his face wherever and said: "Oh, I'll hide them all up before he comes."

MRS. JACK McCARTHY,
No. 44 Harriet street, Pearl Quarry, N. S.

POLLY AND HER PALS

Reformation Can Make Strangers

By Cliff Sterrett

JESS 'CAUSE PETE'S YOUR CHOICE IS NO SIGN POLLY WALL ACCEPT HIM!
SHHH! SHE CAN'T HELP HERSELF WHEN SHE HEARS HOW HE'S REFORMED!
I'VE GAVE UP SMOKIN AN' CUSSIN' POOL AN' POKER-
REALLY
ALSO I'VE CUT OUT LATE HOURS AN GOT ME A JOB.
BUT MY DEAR PETE.-
SURELY YOU DON'T EXPECT ME TO MARRY A PERFECT STRANGER.

ABIE THE AGENT

He Has a Sense of Proportion

By Hershfield

I'M SORRY I COMMENCED IN THIS RESTAURANT BUSINESS- IF I RAISE THE PRICES, THEY WOULDN'T PAY IT! THE ONLY THING I CAN DO, IS CUT DOWN THE SIZE OF THE PORTIONS! THAT THEY USUALLY DON'T NOTICE!!
SEND THE PROPRIETOR OVER!!!!
AHAW- AGAIN I GOT TROUBLE!!
NINETY CENTS FOR THAT???
YES, SIR-
HOW MANY TIMES HAVE I TOLD YOU NOT TO PUT A SMALL ORDER IN A BIG PLATE!

US BOYS

Shrimp Is a Practical Person

By McNamara

HERE IT IS 'UALUMTIMES' DAY ALMOST UP, UPON US AND WE AIN'T GOT A IDEA DOPED OUT, WHAT CHA THINK OF THAT?
WELL I GOT MY MOMS 'UALUMTIME' ALL BOUGHTEN ALREADY!
WHAT KIND IS IT?
OH BOY, IT'S A PIP!- IT'S GOT 'ARRERS' SHOOTIN' THROUGH HEARTS AND LITTLE CUPIDS AND LACE ALL AROUND IT- IT COST A WHOLE NICKEL!
AW, THAT'S SILLY!- GEWAN YA MOTHER ONE OF THEM KIND!
YOU'RE OFF YA NUT!- MY MOMS IS MY SWEETHEART, AIN'T SHE?
BUT WHY DON'T YA BE SENSIBLE AND SLIP HER A CANDY ONE I- SHE'S SURE TO GIVE YA HALF OF IT, AND MAYBE SHE WON'T WANNA GET FAT AND SHE MIGHT GIVE IT ALL TO
AW RATS!
TOM McNAMARA

HOW DO THEY DO IT

Good Brain Work

By Arnot

THAT'S WHAT I SAID- WHADDYE GONNA DO ABOUT IT?
IF I HAD MY HEALTH I'D SHOW YOU WHAT IN SHORT ORDER
BUT DON'T THINK YOU'RE GETTING AWAY WITH IT- WAIT TILL MY SON SLIM HEARS OF THIS- HE'LL KNOCK YOU FOR A ROW OF ASH CANS
HELLO DAD- SAY WHAT'S GOOD FOR THE RHEUMATISM- I'VE GOT AN AWFUL ARM
ARNOT

THE THIMBLE THEATRE

"Music Hath Charms"

By Segar

SAY MR BANDIT WON'T YOU LET ME LEAVE YOUR CAMP
WHEN YOUR FRIENDS PAY $10000 YOU'LL BE FREE
I'LL SING A BEAUTIFUL LITTLE SONG- AND TOUCH THEIR HEARTS- THEN MAY BE THEY'LL LET ME GO
SQUAWK SQUEECH
BEAT IT! DON'T EVER COME BACK!
CARAMBA!
SEGAR

LET THE WEDDING BELLS RING OUT

JOHN, DO YOU THINK THERE'S ANY THING IN THIS COUE THEORY
YES, I REALLY DO
IT'S MERELY A MATTER OF MIND OVER MATTER-
JUST THINK YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE GOOD HEALTH LONG ENOUGH, AND YOU'LL HAVE IT!
I WONDER IF IT'LL WORK WITH HATS?

Laffs in the News

By Les Conklin

ARTIST says that kitteneh girls are the best, but the trouble with this kind is that they are likely to become catty when they grow older.

Virginia policeman was arrested for robbing a butcher shop. This is the first time that an officer of the law was ever punished for bringing home the bacon.

More fowl play in Jersey—a wedding guest chocked to death after eating a piece of chicken.

Fashion expert says that women's knickers will be popular with society girls next Spring. They always have been popular with men.

An Ohio man broke jail because his cell was too cold after he is captured, the authorities are expected to make it hot for him.

Where a landlord is cold and heartless, the tenants are generally coal and heatless.

According to a prominent doctor, a man has 50 000 hairs on his head at the age of thirty. After he has been married twenty years, the number is about 168.

Trotsky's action in taking another wife is evidently a continuation of his policy to lighten domestic duties.

Court says kiss is worth $3. Perhaps this explains why men do not kiss their wives oftener.

Nowadays when a man doesn't like his next-door neighbor, all he has to do to get rid of him is to buy a saxophone and start practising.

"Social Workers to Promote Rural Movements" — Headline. Sounds like a revival of the old barn dances.

Just because a woman calls her husband a brute is no reason why he should use animal glands to cure his baldness.

"Father of Thirteen Hit in Safety Zone" Headline. There is no such place for a man with a family like that.

Embezzler flees to Siberia. Well, that's punishment enough for him.

THE BEST JOKE I EVER HEARD

The Boston American will pay $1 for "Best Joke" published. Address "Jokes," Boston American.

A negro mammy came into the office of the estate for which she worked to receive her regular monthly wages. As she could not write, she always made her mark on the receipt—the usual X. But on this occasion she made a circle. "What's the matter Linda?" the man in charge asked. "Why don't you make a cross as usual?"

"Why," Linda explained earnestly, "Ah done got married yesterday an' changed mah name."

EDNA T ROGERS.
No. 206 W. Selden, st., Mattapan.

BELIEVE IT?

ON April 31, 1901 a Detroit man didn't go to the office so he could stay home and help his wife beat the rugs.

On February 30, 1919, a flapper left her galoshes home because it wasn't raining.

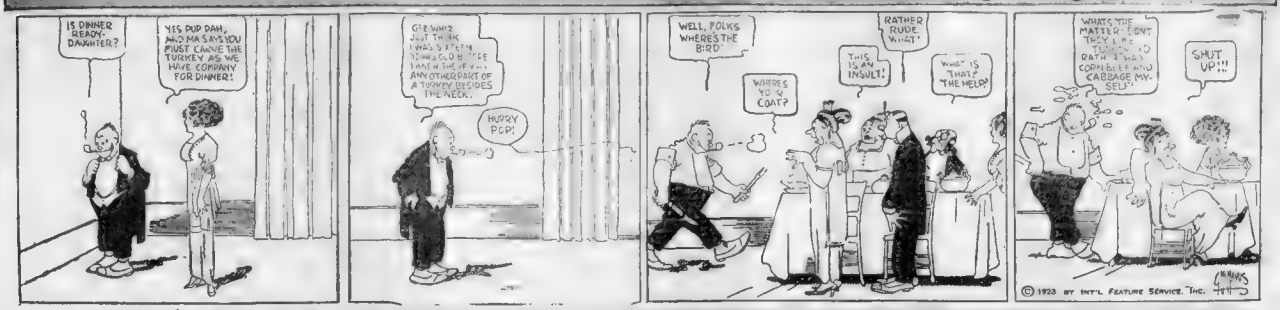
One June 31, 1923, a Chicago man bought some smokes in a cigar store and didn't have to ask the clerk for matches.

On February 29, 1927, an Atlanta woman got her own way with her husband by threatening to sue him for divorce.

On September 31, 1911, a transient paid his bill in a New York barber shop and was given the right change.

BY HIGHEST SALARIED COMIC ARTISTS IN WORLD

BRINGING UP FATHER TEN YEARS AGO — By George McManus


IS DINNER READY, DAUGHTER?
YES PUP PAH, AND MA SAYS YOU MUST CARVE THE TURKEY AS WE HAVE COMPANY FOR DINNER!
GEE WHIZ! JUST THINK I WAS SITTING DOWN TO THE OFFICE TABLE AND ONE OF THE ANY OTHER PART OF A TURKEY DECIDES THE NECK!
HURRY POP!
WELL, FOLKS WHERE'S THE BIRD
RATHER RUDE, WHAT!
THIS IS AN INSULT!
WHERE'S YO'R COAT?
WHAT IS THAT? THE HELP!
WHAT'S THE MATTER? DON'T THEY LIKE PATH TO HAVE CORNBEEF AND CABBAGE MYSELF!
SHUT UP!!!
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Sure, We'll Say So

By Sam Gardenhire

SINCE the women have taken to smoking pipes in London suspicious husbands are putting padlocks on their chewing tobacco.

Lately a business man grew so affectionate to his wife she said he must think she is his stenographer.

If the man who complains about the foolish questions his child asks could only read his stock broker's mind!

I know one autoist who is so used to having trouble with his car that the first time the furnace got out of order he climbed into the ash pit and looked up through the grate.

An absent-minded poker player heard a waitress at a restaurant cry: "Draw one!" and remarked: "I'll stand pat!"

A hen-pecked husband heard a burglar at work downstairs. Slipping into a dressing gown, he sought the intruder and asked: "Brother, tell me: How do you get your wife to let you out nights?"

Recently a Cincinnati man got divorce by means of this testimony: "Judge, I'm a bric-a-brac collector by profession. I didn't mind my wife's hot temper until I discovered after marriage she was formerly a pitcher on a woman's baseball team."

The difference between a dromedary and a camel is that a date is named after one and a cigarette after the other.

SO THIS IS MARRIED LIFE — Bet Somebody's Ears Burned— — By Zere

BACK FROM THE MOVIES? HAVE A NICE TIME?
YES, AND I MET MISTER HOBART, HE ESCORTED ME AS FAR AS THE DOOR. SUCH A FINE, GENTLE MAN, A MAN ANY WOMAN WOULD BE PROUD OF! SO GALLANT AND INTERESTING
HUH! THAT SETTLES IT!! YOUR EVENING WAS A GRAND SUCCESS! SOCIETY COLUMNS PLEASE PRINT.—THE HANDSOME AND TALENTED MISTER HOBART ESCORTED A CERTAIN WELL KNOWN YOUNG LADY HOME FROM THE MOVIES THIS EVENING" WHAT A THRILL!!
NOTICE YOU DIDN'T INVITE HIM IN, I SUPPOSE COMPARISONS ARE ODIOUS THINK IF YOU EVER HANDED ME A FEW COMPLIMENTS, THE SHOCK WOULD BE MORE THAN MY DELICATE CONSTITUTION COULD STAND!
THERE'S NOT A MAN IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD'S GOT ANY USE FOR THAT EGG! FOR NO OTHER REASON EXCEPT THAT HE'S ALWAYS BEING HELD UP AS AN EXAMPLE! DAY ME, MOVES WE'LL CELEBRATE WITH A BLOCK PARTY!
ME-YOW-W'
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STUMBLE INN — Settled Without Further Argument — By Herriman

I WILL SETTLE THE "ADVERTISING" WAR BETWEEN "CHARLIE RICKITTS' OF THE "MANSION HOUSE" AND MYSELF PEACE AND PEN ALL
MR. RICKITTS' I OFFER YOU THE "RED FLAG OF WAR OR THE "WHITE FLAG OF PEACE CHOOSE SIR— CHOOSE
WELL, URIAH, I'M A FAIR MINDED AND IMPARTIAL MAN—
FIRST I CHOOSE THE "RED FLAG OF WAR" —LIKE "THIS"
THEN I CHOOSE THE WHITE FLAG OF PEACE — OR WOULD YOU RATHER I CHOOSE 'EM AGAIN, "VICE VERSA"?

RADIO RAGTIME

LMN INSANITY

Hello, Ashes.

'Lo, Cinders. What's on your mind today?

Lots.

Real estate mind, eh?

It's not bad. Shoot.

Why should a woman's skirt be like a speech?"

"It should be short enough to be interesting, but long enough to cover the subject.'

Wow! Get this: "Why was Eve made?"

"For Adam's express company."

Well, that was easy; but try this one: "Who is the greatest chicken chief in Shakespeare?"

"Macbeth. He did murder most foul."

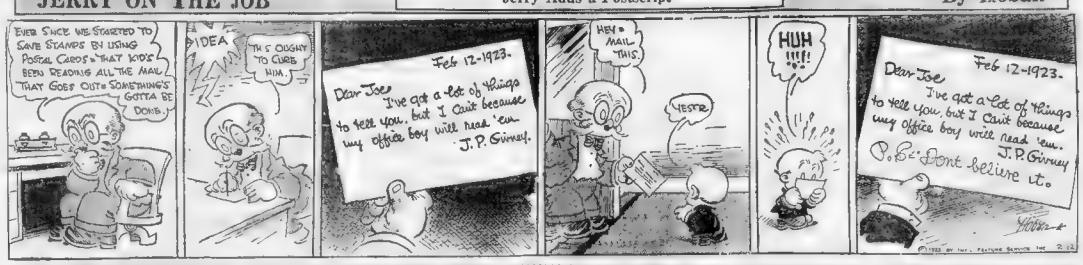
"Zowie! Nabbed 'em all."

I'll say I did. Come again.

I will, Ashes.

Do, old top.

JERRY ON THE JOB — Jerry Adds a Postscript — By Hoban


EVER SINCE WE STARTED TO SAVE STAMPS BY USING POSTAL CARDS THAT KIDS SEEM READING ALL THE MAIL THAT GOES OUT SOMETHING'S GOTTA BE DONE
IDEA
THIS OUGHT TO CURB HIM
Feb 12-1923.
Dear Joe I've got a lot of things to tell you, but I can't because my office boy will read 'em. J.P. Gurney.
HEY! MAIL THIS.
YESSIR
HUH !!!!
Dear Joe Feb 12-1923. I've got a lot of things to tell you, but I can't because my office boy will read 'em. J.P. Gurney. P.S. Don't believe it.

EZRA OBSERVES

CHOIR over to the Corners consists of 3 singers an' 4 imytations but they think they're grand ap'ra songbirds just the same.

Amy Flusher don't go to prayer meetin' any more 'cause she don't like Alviry Sprigglun.

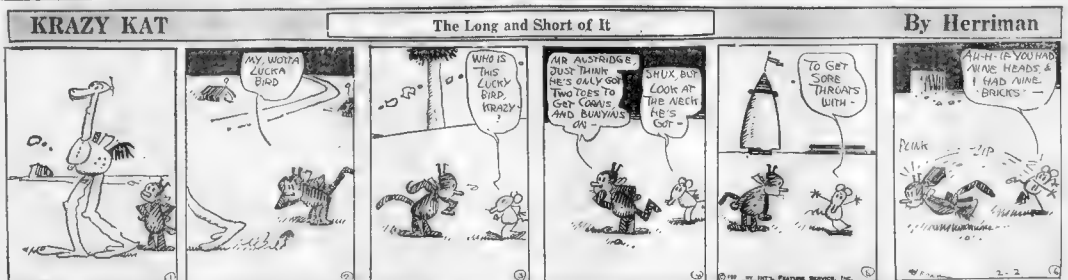
Way I look at it, Adam was the first real tramp.

Corners band, which broke up las' year 'cause everybody wanted to be leader, is gettin' ready to try it ag'in. Got 3 cornet blowers an' a brass drum walloper.

Aeroplane went over here Friday. Sam got off a good one when he see it. Said "Hi Jinks must be runnin' it." Haw, haw, haw!

Julyet Jinks has got a wink that her ma better watch.

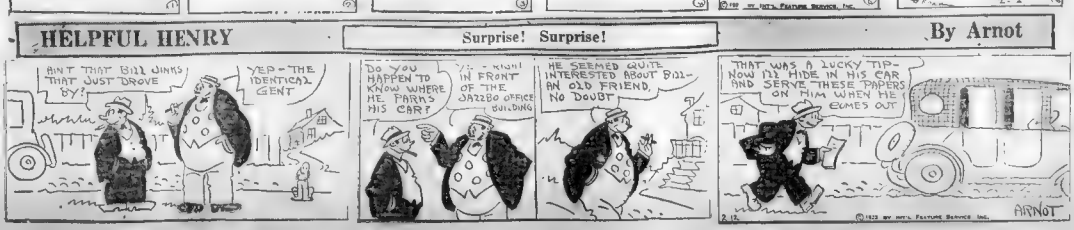
KRAZY KAT — The Long and Short of It — By Herriman


MY, WOTTA LUCKA BIRD
WHO IS THIS LUCKY BIRD, KRAZY?
MR AUSTRIDGE JUST THINK HE'S ONLY GOT TWO TOES TO TWO TOES TO CARE CORNS AND BUNYANS ON—
SHUX BUT LOOK AT THE NECK HE'S GOT—
TO GET SORE THROATS WITH—
AH-H-IF YOU HAD NINE HEADS & HAD NINE BRICKS—
PEWK
ZIP

DECENNIAL OF JIGGS

Ten years ago the famous "Bringing Up Father" series of comics was started by George McManus and in commemoration of the event we are printing this week several of his first drawings. New ones will be resumed not later than February 19.

HELPFUL HENRY — Surprise! Surprise! — By Arnot


AIN'T THAT BILL JINKS THAT JUST DROVE BY?
YEP—THE IDENTICAL GENT
DO YOU HAPPEN TO KNOW WHERE MR. FARNUM'S CAR?
RIGHT IN FRONT OF THE JAZZBO OFFICE BUILDING
HE SEEMED QUITE INTERESTED ABOUT BILL—AN OLD FRIEND, NO DOUBT
THAT WAS A LUCKY TIP—NOW I'LL HIDE IN HIS CAR AND SERVE THESE PAPERS ON HIM WHEN HE COMES OUT
ARNOT

Medbury Says—

By John P. Medbury

CORRESPONDENCE schools are turning out amateur detectives all over the country, but the average mail-order sleuth wouldn't know a burglar if he saw him in the penitentiary.

THE school gives one of their pupils a tin badge and he goes [illegible] arrests his brother [illegible]

IF his brother resists arrest, this guy wires back to the school for additional badges.

HE imagines that with five or six stars he'll have more authority.

ONE guy had a hard job being a detective. Burglars work after dark, and this fellow's wife wouldn't let him out at night.

SHE said if he wanted to catch any crooks he'd have to do it in the day time.

THIS bird followed one guy all afternoon and then discovered he'd been trailing a policeman.

OF course he saw the blue uniform, but he thought he was a Polish soldier.

HIS idea of hunting crime was to carry a magnifying glass in one hand and a book of Sherlock Holmes in the other.

HE let one crook get away from him, but he claimed he didn't know he was a convict because he wasn't wearing stripes.

THE next day he arrested seven zebras. He thought they were criminals who had just broken out of Sing Sing.

THE next night he pinched a fellow on the main street, but the guy wouldn't believe he was a detective, so he took him home to show him his diploma.

HE left him downstairs while he went up to his bedroom to get his diploma and when he came back down he discovered that this guy had ransacked the house.

THE very same night, burglars broke into his home and stole his badge.

THEN he had to go out and hire a private detective to get his star back.

BUT he has a keen eye. He's one of those fellows who takes a sinkern with him when he goes out to look for a fire.

HIS resolution was to make one arrest a week and he always lived up to it even if he had to pinch some cop in his own family.

HE graduated from a correspondence school in St. Louis, but decided they didn't make good detectives out of their pupils because after four years of training he took a trip to St. Louis and couldn't even find the school.

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MONOLOGUES

NOW you're shoutin', Charlie, You've said somethin'—
We certainly ought to get the old gang
Together and have a real love feast
Like times galore
With a big barefoot and plenty of oats
And everybody slappin' everybody on the back
And yellin', "Old scout, how glad I am to see you.
"Let's see, how long is it since?—"
Well, anyway, with plenty of oats
An' a little moral irrigation
An' a bang up review of
Them good old days—
But I won't, I won't invite Oscar if I were you.
He gave me the prize grouch
Since he got his wad—
An I think he's full of queer kinks,
Not paid, crowd or something'
The matter with him;
Even that had to sit next to him
Would sure have a frosty evenin';
Kida impossible, too—
Fact is, I don't think he'd care to come
And mebbee, seein' that he's got to be
A recluse at Northwad; thinks more of himself
Than John D. does of a flock of oil wells
He wouldn't show up either; rides around
In a swell car and eyesight's so bad he
Can't see an old pal; kinda gives you
A cold jolt to look at him; no use to ask
Him to eat and joke with a lot of
Common folks like you and me—
But we ought to get the old gang together
Sure—I mean the congenial bunch.
What's that? Ain't any left?
Why, there's me and you.
Ain't there?

Flapper Fairy Tales.

Ludwig—Good evening, sweetheart. Would you like to go to the Artists' ball with me tonight?

Augusta—I'd love to, but I haven't any evening gown.

Ludwig—What's the matter with your green one?

Augusta—It shrunk in the wash and I'm afraid it isn't long enough.

Largest Evening Circulation in New England

This Day in Our History, February 12, 1923

THIS is the anniversary of the birth, in 1809, of Abraham Lincoln the man who guided the Union through the Civil War and made for himself a name equal to the greatest in the world's history.

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A New Version

A CLAY tablet dating from 2100 B. C. gives a fresh version of the story of the Garden of Eden. It states that Adam was thrust out, not as a punishment, but to prevent him becoming immortal.

COUSIN TO LADY EVE

Even to Producing an Apple, Which, However Opened the Eyes of a Man Who Had Been Blind to Facts for Nine Years.

By Evangeline Weir.

THE man stood before the open fire. Though he did not realize the woman. There was no mistaking the ris of her head, grown as proud as a queen's crown, long lashes that she snapped before a fan of sensual portent, across which the hearth fire threw its light and brought out to relief a face very like her own; a hand some face with a mocking smile on the painted lips and in the depths of the dark eyes.

COME INTO MY GARDEN, LOVE THE SAID SOFTLY—

"In some incarnation I must have been that woman," she said to the man.

"I do not do.bt it," he replied without moving.

"She was my ancestor one hundred years ago."

"She spoiled the life of my ancestor one hundred years ago. History repeats itself," he said bitterly.

The woman tempted me," she jeered. Her face was turned toward him and in the depths of her dark eyes and on her lips was the same mocking smile as that on the painted face above her.

"And the woman yielded to the Devil," he replied in a cold, cutting tone.

"How we toss that apple about!" Then she added, "It was a love apple."

His laugh irritated her, and she continued in a slightly higher note: "She wished to share the knowledge with the man she loved."

"She was perfectly safe, as Adam was the only male species in the garden."

The woman turned again to the painted face and laid her hand caressingly on the canvas. "You living, elusive and much abused woman, I love you," she said. Then to the man: "I could not live without this picture. I have loved it always."

"You remember that her name was Eve."

It has always charmed me even as a child," she continued. "It was one of grandfather to gave it to you."

"I gave it to you when you are married," he said coolly.

He proved so that he could see her face in the firelight. He had here eyes in a silence which he was determined not to break. She shook herself free from the influence of his eyes and continued the quarrel.

"I wonder why grandfather made you my guardian?" she questioned with a mocking laugh.

A Battle of Wits

"I am sure that I never did anything to merit such punishment," he said coolly.

"Don't be rude. It is true that I have worried you and I shall probably continue to do so. I suppose grandfather gave me to you because you are so old—ten years older than I."

"I am opposed with the house of Ward through that line whom I have met in battle and have made it irreputable for the old name."

I was seven and ten when twenty-six and controlled myself, reading the extra years on her fingers.

"You have already pointed out the difference in our ages," he said irritably.

"I am now twenty-five and you are twenty-six. You are fifty very old, and she laughed like a naughty child.

The man's eyes quickened, but his face remained set.

"Yes, I have been as wise as a woman of my age should be and since you refused to take the advantages of an almost bewildering degree. I have been very wise.

"I do not know it," he replied. "You remember the promise I wonder whether I have failed? I have tried to keep it."

But she spoke slowly now, as if controlling a passion understanding which she threw down the cards which to me.

"You have and Miss Van Clamp for a companion. Be grateful."

Her voice rang loudly through the dim, shuttered room. She is almost beside herself with anger. Between you and have created me. And now you are going to marry me to an English title that will both be so proud to say. Two Dukes of Batheries was my ward. I trained her in all the arts behind how she has improved the time."

The man looked surprised. "I thought you wished to marry Lord Wildermet, please," he said. "I did not hear your consent. I did nothing to force you into an engagement with him."

"You approved so quickly, and I have been taught to obey! However, I think Lord Wildermer is human."

Then her mood changed. She knelt before the fire, stirred it and threw fresh wood upon it. "I love a wood fire," she said, softly. "I am glad the English have the same good taste. It will make it more homelike for me. I shall make the flames dance on the walls of the old hall. An old house is wonderful. The hall was built before the Normans invaded England."

The man thought of his own lonely hearth when the mocking whimsi al woman was gone.

Her One Request.

"You will give me that picture," she pleaded. "I want them to know that I too have ancestors who held out her hand for him to help her on her feet. "Please give me the picture," she cooed, holding his hand a moment in her own.

"No, I cannot promise to get from me all you want," drawing his hand away.

"I will back in a moment," she said going toward the door.

To most wondered what new torture was about to be put on by the whimsical creature who had been in pain and misery for nine years.

The woman returned to him with an apple in her hand. The man waited for the next act. She took a bite of the apple and with an oblique smile offered it to him.

"Eat, it is good," she said in a soft, entreating voice which he could not resist.

He finished it to the core, which he threw to the flames and [illegible] the man and [illegible] in the hall. Then the man found the woman with a new look in her eyes. "I have eaten of the fruit in fact, love, he said, [illegible]

"Was it good Again?"

"I am not considering the quality just now."

"Then love edge has it come to you," she asked [illegible]

"Can't I tell you it was the apple of love?"

"The devil's apple," he answered, "for you belong to another man."

"Ladies of Eden will not please me. Adam I [illegible] Lord Wildermet is [illegible]

"The fruit opened [illegible] you," she said, "by my garden, Eve, he said softly.

"I have always been three," she sighed, "but not did it [illegible] it with you ate the apple."

The Mid-Victorian

DRAWN BY NELL BRINKLEY

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THIS is how he will look some day, and how women will look if he goes on letting them vote and be in business with him. If you strain your eyes under your curved hand and say, "Lo! me now," you will see him somewhere down the line of a historical procession in the distance that thickens around the vanishing line, somewhere in the rear. He has a straggler and was long ago left behind me. And now you are going to marry me to an English title that will both be so proud to say. Two Dukes of Batheries was my ward. I trained her in all the arts behind how she has improved the time."

This chap will never learn how to pal with womenkind. This chap is bringing up the tail-end of the march of men and events. He doesn't get one little glimmer in his excited head that the big chap is the one who doesn't worry about ANYBODY making him LITTLE. Nobody can make you any smaller than you already are.

—NELL BRINKLEY.

WHEN A GIRL MARRIES

Ralph Lacy Called Anne on the Telephone Early One Morning and Told Her He Must See Her at Once on Important Business

THE words were wrung from Carlotta. Knowing her pride and how it had been knocked about as if in a game of battledore and shuttle-cock, I weighed each word of my reply.

FIRST OF ALL I'VE GOT TO CONFESS THAT IT'S PARTLY FOR JIM—

"First of all I have to confess that it is partly for Jim. You see, Betty's money and—Terry's, is involved in the oil company Jim's fighting for. We've added poverty to Betty's other troubles. That gives me a duty to her over and beyond even my affection for her—"

"So—it's that!" cried Carlotta. Then I've been trying to hold you back when I have no rights compared with hers."

Her measured tone told me that Carlotta's sense of justice was prompting her to words her heart did not dictate. I knew that she was trying to incase herself in a mantle of righteousness and to stand off and view the situation alone-ly. This would not remove the hurt and sting, however.

Thrash It Out.

"We," I insisted. "We've got to thresh this out thoroughly. We are too close to dismiss a situation involving me both, and act as if a casual word could account for such a big change in our lives. I'm doing what I know I owe Jim, Carlotta. I am doing this because I assume responsibility for Betty. It will leave—"

"Beg pardon, Mrs. Harrison," sounded Bertha's voice from the doorway. "There's a gentleman on the wire insisting that he must speak to you at once."

"And I must run along," cried Carlotta with a great effort at lightness. "Bertha, I know Mrs. Harrison can count on you for any picking she wants done. So long, Anne."

As Carlotta whirled out of the room with a great show of energy I turned from Bertha open-mouthed astonishment to answer the urgent telephone summons. Going down the hall, I wondered if I could ever reconcile the moment when I came as near telling Carlotta frankly that I was going to live with Betty mainly to put the emptiness of loneliness on her and to win Tony's sympathy to her. I was glad if it might not be just as well that I hadn't spoken, for if my plan didn't, the knowledge that there had been a plan could only add humiliation to Carlotta's unhappiness.

"Hello, Mrs. Harrison," came the greeting over the telephone wire. "This is Ralph Lacy calling at this unseemly hour with malice prepense. Did I rouse you—before breakfast?"

"The top o' the morning to you, and you did not," I replied gayly. "You merely contrived a word with me on the eve of my racing off to business at my usual early hour."

"May I stop by to see you?" Mr. Lacy's response on a note of sustained seriousness that astonished me. "I've something to go late with you, Mrs. Harrison, and it seems to me the quicker we establish lines of communication the better. I can be there in five minutes, if you'll brook that delay."

Good-by

"I'll wait," I agreed, chastened by the decision in his voice. "Good-bye till then."

When I came out into the hall I found Bertha there, uneasy and incapable of hiding it. I realized at once that she was worrying over Carlotta's message and didn't know what to do about it. So I took the plunge for her.

"Bertha, I'm leaving here," I said. "I'm going to take care of poor Mrs. Winston for a while. She needs me and Miss Carlotta doesn't."

"Still and all," replied Bertha, "Miss Carlotta can do with a little babying, and to keep myself from noticing how sorely I'll miss you, Mrs. Harrison, dear, I'll take the liberty of looking out for her the best I know how."

"Thank you, Bertha." I replied, deeply touched by the woman's tact and good taste coupled with her kindness. "I might have known that you'd look at Miss Carlotta as a sort of—sacred trust from me."

"I do, ma'am—excuse me ma'am. I think I'd better be mailing myself scarce, but you know I'm here when wanted."

And Bertha vanished suddenly leaving me near tears and well aware that she was having trouble to restrain hers. I felt that the wisest course to pursue was to go down to my office, straighten out things for the day with my overreliable Miss May, and then come back to the Sturges house at noon for lunching. It would be none too easy to leave the place, as I was about to do, but at least I could spare Carlotta and myself the double agony of having her there when I went.

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(To Be Continued Tomorrow.)

BEST RECIPES

New England housewives are requested to send in recipes for appetizing dishes. One dollar will be sent each winner printed here. Address Recipe Editor, Boston American, 8, Boston, Mass.

Cheese Loaf

Mix a rich dough of 2 cups of flour, ¾ cup of lard, ¼ teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon baking powder and enough milk to mix up. This mixture will make two loaves. Roll out dough lengthwise, add pound of cut up cheese, 1 well beaten egg, sugar to taste and pinch of salt. Cover up all around the edges, leaving a little opening in the centre. Go all over the dough with a well beaten egg. Bake until well done. This is delicious.

MRS. M. NELSON

412 Essex street, Salem, Mass

American Chop Suey

One pound hamburg steak, 1 cup cooked macaroni, 1 cup cooked rice, 1 can tomato soup 1 large onion, 1 pepper. Cut onion and pepper small. Fry in fat of butter when near done. Put meat on pan with them to brown. When meat is done put in macaroni and rice last of all. Put in tomatoes, mix well. This is very nice.

HELEN A. MALLEY.

No. 138 Myrtle street, Lynn, Mass

WHY SMOKE GOES UP

By GARRETT P. SERVISS

Eminent Astronomer and Authority on Subjects of Scientific Interest.

"At an examination for entrance to the [illegible] question was asked as to what constitutes the atmosphere. The answer was: 'Smoke.' My informant thought that atmosphere is derived from lifted its [illegible] thought the [illegible] was [illegible] and [illegible] where [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

The Average Vocabulary

A LEARNED professor finds the English adult of ordinary education uses 25,000 different words, though certain scientists assert that he gets along with 4,000. Among the highly educated the number is 33,000.

The Popular Onion

IN the Middle Ages any well-set table contained a plate of red onions. The chief repute of the onion in medicine was as a diuretic and remedy for dropsy. This belief has persisted up to the present time.

THE ENEMIES OF WOMEN By BLASCO IBANEZ

Start Here Today This Engrossing Story of Life and Love from the Master Pen of One of the World's Greatest Novelists

The Duchess de Delille enticing Prince Michael to smoke opium in her apartments

A Russian Prince of Fabulous Wealth and Some Friends Bind Themselves to Bar All Women From Lives

Prince Michael Fedor, a Russian of fabulous wealth, is at Monte Carlo while the great war is on. With him is his friend, Attilo Castro, and other acquaintances. The prince, on returning to Villa Sirena, finds everything changed owing to the war. He announces, to the amazement of his hearers, that he is ruined. Castro smilingly remarks that he would be content with one-tenth of the remains. The Prince proposes that Castro and a few of their friends live together with the proviso that no women shall ever their lives. They will be known as "The Enemies of Women." Castro tells the Prince he has seen the Duchess de Delille. The Prince says he will not receive her. The story reverts to the marriage of the Prince's father and mother and the son's early raining. His father dies and his mother marries again. Her new sister-in-law has a small daughter, Alicia. They come to Paris to live. Alicia fights with Michael, who returns to Russia and takes up military training.

By Vicente Blasco Ibanez.
Author of "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse" and Other Novels of World Renown.

AT all hours of the day and night one of Alicia's various expensive nurses was kept in readiness in front of the stairway. Three chauffeurs divided the service between them staying in the porter's quarters and as soon as the bell was heard, they had only to run to the machines as they put on their gloves, and start the engine.

And all the while, Alicia, in spite of her restless, impulsive nature, spent whole days in bed, telling her intimate friends that to keep one's beauty, from time to time, one must take a "rest cure." She would entertain her friends at dinner without rising. The table was spread in luxurious fashion in her large bedroom, and she, lying between the sheets, with the dishes within reach on a tiny table, laughed and talked with her guests.

They Meet Again

In a little reception room on the ground floor, the Prince met Alicia. She was dressed in a black tunic of her own invention, a combination of the Greek peplum and the Japanese kimono. Her bare arms floated free from the soft silk that almost seemed itself to live, it clung so closely to her body. Underneath it, half revealed, were the contours and perfumed warmth of her flesh, hidden by no inner veils.

As she took him to the elevator, which was white and quilted like a glovebox, he caught a rapid glimpse of the drawing-rooms of the lower floor, ostentatious, but left in shadow almost as dark as night; the large dining-hall deserted, with the furniture covered; the little dining-room in which there were no signs whatsoever of preparations—Where was she taking him? Was the table set in her bedroom?

To Her Inner Circle

The elevator passed the second floor without stopping. "We are going to my study," said Alicia. "You belong to my inner circle. I eat there when I am alone."

The Prince was amused at the so-called "study," a large room which occupied a major portion of the third floor, and in which there were no other books to be seen than some in a small bookrack. The place was decorated in an imitation "Far East" style; an accumulation of plain black lacquer furniture, silks of pale shades or of an intense dark blue, frightful idols. A diffused azure light, such as is used on the stage in night-scenes, descended from the ceiling.

A screen embroidered in gold figures formed a sort of second more intimate room, the floor of which was covered with white fur rugs with long, silky hair. Heaped about were dozens of various colored pillows adorned with winged reptiles and unheard-of flowers.

An exotic, penetrating odor caused the guest to sniff deeply. He knew that perfume. There was a look of severity in his eyes as he glanced sharply at the Duchess.

"Sit down," she said. "They are going to serve us."

As the Prince looked about, without seeing any sort of a chair, Alicia set him an example, dropping on a heap of cushions. Michael sat down in the same fashion, beside a tiny mother-of-pearl table no bigger than a taboret. Above, a lamp with a dark shade shed a circle of soft light. Inwardly the Prince began to feel a wave of dull anger as he thought of his evening wasted.

"You must have eaten this way often," she continued. "You have traveled more than I. The setting must be familiar to you."

A Changed Opinion.

Yes; he knew the "setting," the original and authentic, and for that very reason he did care to see it again in imitation. Besides, to oblige him to eat on the floor, there in a house on the Avenue de Bois. . . . "Poseur!" But in a short time his opinion changed. She undoubtedly deserved the name; but her pose had long ago become of a more or less habitual character, which had finally become second nature. He guessed that even in its slightest details none of this had been prepared especially for him, and that Alicia lived and ate when she was alone just as she was doing then, dominated by the desire to differentiate herself from the rest even when no one was noticing her.

A servant, with a complexion the shade of dirty copper, and with long side whiskers, dressed in a black tuxedo, with white cloth wrapped around his legs, like a skirt, and long hair like a woman's done up on his head and held in place by a tortoise shell comb, was in charge of the serving of the meal. The Asiatic was placing on the floor huge trays containing delicacies; some were of ancient hammered silver, others of many-colored lacquer, or semi-transparent materials which were in imitation of emerald, topaz and red sealing wax.

An Unusual Repast

Michael imagined to himself the madness of a great chef who in the midst of his ravings might give orders for a great banquet. There was not a single dish which reminded one of the harmonious procedure of an ordinary dinner. The palate was to act on the imagination, awakening memories of distant travels, visions of far-off lands. Exotic preserves alternated with hot dishes, pastry having a flavor of penetrating perfumes was served at the same time as certain sharp, biting, or intensely bitter sauces.

Alicia, half reclining in the cushions, looking at the dishes without appetite, only extended her hand carelessly toward the most unusual delicacies, and those with the most pungent and racy savors, showing the profound perversion of her palate.

She herself saw to it that his glass was always filled with a drink of her own invention, with a champagne base, which burned and reaped his mouth, paralyzing all other sensations with its stinging coolness, and penetrating his nostrils with a lingering scent of incense. Gradually, at first Michael had found the drink repugnant, but in the end he was delighted with its refreshing fragrance that gently troubled the senses, as though intoxicating with perfumes.

"Of course you use a pipe," said Alicia simply.

He shook his head and thought of the odor which struck him on entering. He knew only too well what sort of "pipe" it was, and gazed about the study. In some hidden corner there must have been a smoking den.

"A man like you!" she went on. "A globe trotter! . . . And I fooled myself into thinking we would smoke together!"

She even gave him to understand that the hope of being able to give him that forbidden pleasure was the principal reason for her invitation. She was resigned, however, when she learned that Prince, vigorous as he was, suffered nausea every time he experimented with this Asiatic vice.

So, while he lighted a Havana, Alicia took from a silver case the cigarettes she smoked in the presence of the uninitiated: Oriental tobacco, but heavily dosed with opium.

Alicia Arises

Suddenly Michael saw Alicia half rising from the cushions, with a panther-like contraction of her muscles, as though she were ready to spring at him. It was the impulse of the beautiful beast, controlled, and sure of its power, and not knowing how to feign. She had forgotten the demi-tasse she held in her hand, as she sat looking at him fixedly.

The tiny blue electric spark dancing in her eyes was known to Michael. It was the look with which silent women invite mastery. He had seen it often along his path as a conquering millionaire.

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A RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaelis

THE weather man is waving a blizzard flag this way; the coal that I've been saving will last about a day. Now Greenland's biting breezes assail my bungalow, and in between my sneezes I voice my wail of woe. I do not care for skating upon six feet of ice, with frozen toes gyrating; I don't think coasting's nice. I do not like to shovel the snow from 'round my coz: I'd much prefer some hovel where it is always hot. I'd rather far be taking my ease in torrid air than in this climate shaking, for I'm no polar bear! But, pausing to remember, I find I've changed my tune; my wishes in December are not like those of June. For then I blithely stated I loved the Arctic nights, and wished that I were slated to dwell near Northern lights. I spoke with tender feeling of robes of ice and sleet and did some fiercely spieling about the bane of heat. Now, with regrets and sighing for follies past I pay, while in the furnace hieing eleven times a day. Yes, when reviewing seasons, I find in every one a host of spleen did reasons to like the time that's gone. But isn't it an error to claim I love July when Winter winds bring terror and snowflakes swiftly fly? And would it not be merry to quit this sort of stuff and say in January, "This month is good enough!"

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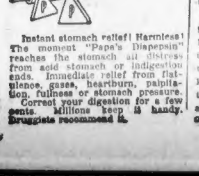

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GOOD NIGHT STORIES

Be Sure to Read Them to Your Children

By Blanche Silver

Why Bossy Cow Changed Her Mind About Some Things

BOSSY COW sat up and took notice when a strange creature stopped under the shade of the tree where she lazily lay, chewing her cud. She had never seen such a funny-looking thing in all her life, and she wondered a long time what it was before so you won't have to be bothered with them," snarled Mrs. Bossy Cow.

"Oh, me! Oh, me!" Mrs. Opossum laughed. "Such a funny mother! Why, my dear!—she

"I'm Mrs. Opossum."

spoke softly, and out of her little pouch on her stomach popped fifteen tiny furry heads with bright shiny black eyes. "That's how I take care of my children. Fifteen and no one has ever heard me complain. I wouldn't take worlds for any of them."

With a frisk of her pretty tail she skipped over the meadows, leaving Mrs. Bossy Cow sitting with her mouth wide open staring at her. After she was out of sight Mrs. Bossy Cow looked over at her offspring and sighed.

"And here I'm complaining because I have one," she mused. "Gracious! we never know when we're well off."

Another Fine Story Tomorrow.

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ETIQUETTE POINTERS

By Ann Adams

DEAR MISS ADAMS:

Is it proper to fold your napkin, or just to crumple it and leave it on the table, when you are a dinner guest at a friend's house?

READER.

THE napkin is not folded after dining. It is placed at the left side of the plate, taking care, however, that no part of it touches the remaining food. At home, for the economy of laundry, the napkin may be folded and slipped into the individual napkin ring to serve at another meal.

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DAILY HOROSCOPE

Mary Blake Says:

Today Unlucky If You Are HASTY

TODAY is uncertain and variable. Footsore any important business transaction by all means. A hasty decision may mean great loss not only to you but to your business associates. If you are of an impulsive nature put the brakes on your desires and give your better judgment a fair chance to assert itself. It will be better for you. Avoid any arguments and don't antagonize anyone if you can help it. It may prove disastrous for you. However, if you have anything vital to do, do it after seven this evening and before ten-thirty. You will find you will be more successful.

If this is your birthday, you were born under the zodiacal sign of Aquarius. You are a lover of nature and will make an ideal husband or wife, as the case may me. You are virtuous and loyal, but materialism is your besetting sin. Fight against it, as it is possible for you to overcome it.

You crave knowledge. Satisfy this craving however great the obstacles may be in your path. You can become a leader of men, so do not smother the possibility of a glowing future by lack of courage. Persevere and conquer. Some great people were born under this sign, and the stars gave you the same advantages they had. The sun was in Aquarius when Thomas Edison was born, too. You know what he has done and is doing.

You should have a fine clear forehead, and a high one, which is another reason why you should succeed. An old Chinese proverb says:

"One part of the forehead shows our faculties, and the other part the use we make of them."

As you have plenty of forehead, find out how this applies to you and make use of it.

Watch For Tomorrow's Possibilities.

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TELL THESE AT DINNER

A LANCASHIRE pitman known as Old George was said to have the biggest appetite in six villages. In fact, this uncommon twist of his had been the subject of many wagers, and he had acquitted himself well in every contest.

One night, in the village inn, George was backed to eat a whole goose, with appropriate trimmings, at a sitting. It was agreed that the feat should take place on the premises.

The next evening excitement ran high. Old George's backers and opponents watched with growing wonder as he steadily ate his way through the goose. When the feat was accomplished the champion was escorted home in triumph by his jubilant backers. Just before reaching his cottage he stopped and addressed his friends:

"Now lads, I hope as none of you will tell Mrs. Missus about you goose, or happen she won't give me any supper."

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"Actors and actresses must be a delicate lot of people."

"Why?"

"I often see their names attached to patent medicine advertisements."

YOUR BEAUTY

NEW SERIES OF AUTHORITATIVE ARTICLES

By Marie Jeritza

Famous Prima Donna of the Metropolitan Opera Company and One of the Most Beautiful Women of the Day

MOST of us at some stage of our experience have been earnestly admonished to throw our shoulders back and our chests out.

This kindly meant advice is responsible for much stiff, strained awkwardness in the carriage of the chest, shoulders and chin—for unfortunately the tendency, when the chest is forced up and out and the shoulders back, is also to poke the chin forward.

Now the sensible, natural procedure—what nature practically causes you to do without thought or effort, if you are healthy and active and cheerful—is to hold your back and your neck straight. Then the rest takes care of itself. Your head, shoulders, arms, chest and abdomen naturally fall into the correct posture.

"As the twig is bent the tree's inclined," the poet says. So if you hold your back and neck straight, not only will your carriage assuredly be correct and graceful, but your figure will grow straighter and more symmetrical.

Really, it is so much easier and more normal and pleasant to carry oneself with graceful erectness than it is to "slump" or strain. Fearless, confident, cheerful thought will do much to bring you this blessing of an upright carriage. Rest, exercise, sufficient nourishing food and fresh air are important factors, for they give you the consciousness of fresh vitality, which naturally finds expression in erect carriage and clear-cut movements.

Deep breathing is perhaps the one most beneficial physical aid to a fine chest development. Have you ever noticed what well-developed chests most singers have? We practice deep breathing constantly as a part of our voice culture.

And deep breathing does more than simply develop the chest. It is a tremendous all-around beauty aid. It sends the red blood dancing through your veins and causes roses to bloom in your cheeks.

Here is a little game that will help you to accustom yourself to deep breathing. You'll find it great fun.

Stand before a window in which a light-weight curtain hangs, or if you prefer, suspend a strip of paper from the top of a doorway.

Take a deep breath, then slowly breathe toward the paper. As soon as the force of your breath moves the paper, step back about a foot and try again. After you have practised this exercise for several mornings, you will be surprised to see how far back you can stand and still move the object. You'll increase the distance week after week.

Be sure to breathe through your nose, or the exercise will lose its value. And fill your lungs as gently as possible, for deep, steady breathing is desirable. Of course, the object of this little game is not to blow the paper, but to empty your lungs so that you will necessarily inhale deep drafts of fresh air.

First, try this exercise just a few times, then increase the number each day as your breathing capacity increases.

The next article will deal with the achievement of a beautifully straight back.

Maria Jeritza

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BITS OF WISDOM

Be wise today, 'tis madness to defer,
Next day the fatal precedent will plead.
Thus on, till wisdom is push'd out of life.

—Young.

ANECDOTES OF FAMOUS

Tim Healy, K. C., Ireland's first Governor-General, has always had the interests of the country at heart. Forty years ago he went to prison for making a threatening speech; today he is generally regarded as the wittiest and wisest living Irishman. Before he began his political career he was a railway clerk.

Here's a story told of him: "Tiger Tim," as he is affectionately known, was once canvassing for votes at an election. One elector told him, "I would rather vote for the devil than for you!"

"Quite right to stand by your friend," said Mr. Healy. "But if he doesn't go to the poll, will you vote for me?"

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FASHION IN FOOTWEAR

By Rita Stuyvesant

SHOES in smart models are a distinct addition to the appearance of the well-dressed woman.

A low-heeled cordovan walking pump is shown with a double strap across the instep and a neat brass buckle. Military ties are still correct and are usually completed by adding a rubber heel.

For rough and ready sports wear the high laced boot is the most serviceable, and these are generally worn at all the Winter resorts.

The advent of the long dress has effected a revival of the high heel, for there is nothing so ungainly as a low heel and long dress. The heels may be extremely high or of the "baby French" type, but they must not be flat. Perhaps never before have there been so many distinctive types of footwear as at the present time, and sometimes two and three leathers are combined in one pair of pumps.

The black suede pump with a single strap is smart, worn with a taupe chiffon hose, and is neat and becoming to the average foot.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Velvet is the ideal polishing cloth and will outshine chamois leather or linen. It works like magic on brass, silver, shoes, furniture and floors.

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Remove dirty marks on paint by rubbing first with a slice of lemon and then with whitening. Afterward wash with soap and water.

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When boiling a pudding in a cloth put an old plate at the bottom of the saucepan to prevent the pudding from sticking to the pan.

Expansion in Domestic Trade Indicates Year of Prosperity for Country

FORBES' VIEWS ON FINANCE

By B. C. Forbes

Favorable business developments are coming thick and fast.

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Favorable international events also outweigh the unfavorable.

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Happily, nearly every business convention now being held recognizes the danger lurking in the price boosting.

Also, it is encouraging to note that the cost of living figures for January disclose hardly any advance.

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This, too, is important: wheat has again improved in price, corn has moved up during the last week; so have flour, butter, eggs, lard. Cotton is also not far from its high level for the current year, and all indications are that consumption will make unusually heavy inroads upon the available supply before the new crop is ready.

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The latest employment figures covering the whole country disclose very little idleness at any point, while the scarcity in several industrial centres, particularly in the steel and motor making territories, has become so pronounced as to keep down production.

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The security markets have moved in harmony with the generally encouraging trend. The average price for a representative group of railroad and industrial stocks last week crossed 98 for the first time this year, and came within 3 points of the 1922 maximum. The bond average also touched new high ground, and, although 3 points below the 1922 peak, passed the best prices of 1921, 1920 and 1919.

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Another indication of the greater cheerfulness felt in high financial circles is the rise in sterling to within one point of the high mark attained since the war. French francs have also shown some resiliency. So have even German marks—although why, it is hard to understand.

Furthermore, French bonds have enjoyed a very substantial rebound.

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Internationally, the outstanding development of the week was the emphatically favorable vote in the House on the British debt repayment plan. This was accepted as infinitely more important than the latest bluffing by the Turks in threatening to attack Allied warships unless they immediately withdrew from Turkish waters. As a matter of fact, a calm view is taken of the whole Turkish situation.

Nor do events in the Ruhr arouse much concern. The general opinion is growing that France will not withdraw, no matter what the cost, until Germany completely chances her tactics and gives convincing proof that she is anxious and ready to fulfill her obligations to the full extent of her ability. Early offers from Germany are expected.

Incidentally, more whispers are now heard of reconciliation between America and Britain with a view to facilitating the straightening out of matters on the European continent.

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Altogether, a very cheering picture, is it not?

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Looking ahead one danger deserves consideration.

The prices at which many classes of finished goods are now selling are not in harmony with the increases which have occurred in raw material prices and manufacturing costs. Before very long consumers will be confronted with distinctly higher prices in many directions.

What may then happen is a question which ought to engage the serious thought of producers and manufacturers.

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The continuance of easy money rates and bank pressure in the country of such an overwhelming mass of idle gold are factors tending to foster inflation.

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As I see it, it is extremely necessary that those charged with the responsibility of fixing prices and also those in control of the money and credit supplies of the country steadily realize the duty resting upon them, and that they vividly resist all temptation, even though the temptation is likely to be great, to inaugurate any practices or policies which would foster an unhealthy boom, because such a boom would be short lived and disastrous all round.

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We now have and promise to continue to have practically all the elements needful for good, active, healthy and profitable business. It is the patriotic duty of all of us to exercise farsightedness rather than blind, ironside-breeding selfishness.

HOVEY EMPLOYES TO HAVE ATHLETIC CLUB

The C. F. Hovey Co. male employes will hold a banquet in the association building at noon today, at which plans for the new Hovey Athletic Club will be discussed. The purpose of the new club will be to promote both social and athletic activities. An entertainment has been arranged. Officers for the coming year are: James J. Sullivan, John F. O'Callaghan, Roy Hall, Bob Curry, Jerry Bashner, Thomas J. Dynan, Joseph Crowley, George Keene, Charles Jordan and Maurice H. O'Connell.

LABOR SUPPLY ONLY LIMIT TO IMPROVEMENT

New York, Feb. 12.—Action of the stock market last week in making away from the depressing influence of the Near East situation, and the French seizure of the Ruhr, is accepted as conclusive evidence that the future course of American security prices will be governed almost entirely by the condition of domestic business.

While the foreign complications have caused a shrinkage in our exports and are expected to result in further contraction, the expansion going on in domestic trade embracing practically all lines of industry leads to the conclusion that 1923 will be a year of prosperity for the United States.

SUPPLY OF LABOR.

The extent to which domestic business may expand is only limited by the supply of labor which is declared to be insufficient at this time. An important bullish factor, however, is the increased efficiency of labor.

In addition to the optimistic trade reports there is the important factor of probable easy money rates. Funds are piling up in the banks notwithstanding the material expansion in general business.

IN STEEL INDUSTRY.

Steel companies are doing a good business with indications of farther improvement. Copper is a sowly doing better. Material betterment has also taken place in the zinc and lead business. Consumption of oil and its by-products has overtaken production.

Indications that there will not be enough sugar to supply the world is responsible for the advances in the prices of raw and refined sugars.

Replies to Investors

Send stocks queries, with stamped, self-addressed envelope, to Frank H. Melson, Financial Editor, Boston American, No. 80 Summer street, Boston, Mass.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

To R. L., Summ't avenue—Pennsylvania Railroad looks for continuance of present heavy freight movement. Pennsylvania was one of the few rails that had a very creditable 1922 showing. I would not sell the stock, if I were you.

Although purchase of 500 new locomotives to cost about $18,000,000, of which 175 are to be heavy type freight engine, Pennsylvania Railroad directors gave material evidence of belief in traffic future. Of the 500 engines authorized, 175 are of heavy freight type, and supplement 100 similar type engines ordered from Baldwin last Summer, and of which sixty-one have been delivered to date. Remainder of the original order will be delivered in the next few weeks, and it is planned to have many of the 500 engines ready for use by Spring, and all by next Fall. Pennsylvania has placed orders for 418 engines since January 1, 1922, at approximate cost of $26,000,000.

ACCUMULATED DIVIDENDS

To W. W., Woolford Street—Sudden activity in preferred shares carrying accumulated dividend payments was influenced to a large extent by statement from a leading stock Exchange firm that it would be no surprise should plans be formed by several companies to take care of such obligations. Such action, it is pointed out, would likely consist of compromises between the different classes of stockholders. While not a favorite, would be one such possibility, the idea being advanced that with improvement in earnings the common shareholders should be willing to make sacrifices to do away with arrears on the preferred. Marine preferred is another issue referred to, while the Missouri Pacific, it is stated, has ample funds in its treasury to cover arrears of dividends, although it is supposed to be holding back because it may need funds in connection with the readjustment of Denver & Rio Grande and the Texas & Pacific. Central Leather also has 12½ per cent. on its preferred, but first must recover its profit and loss deficit.

U. S. WORSTED.

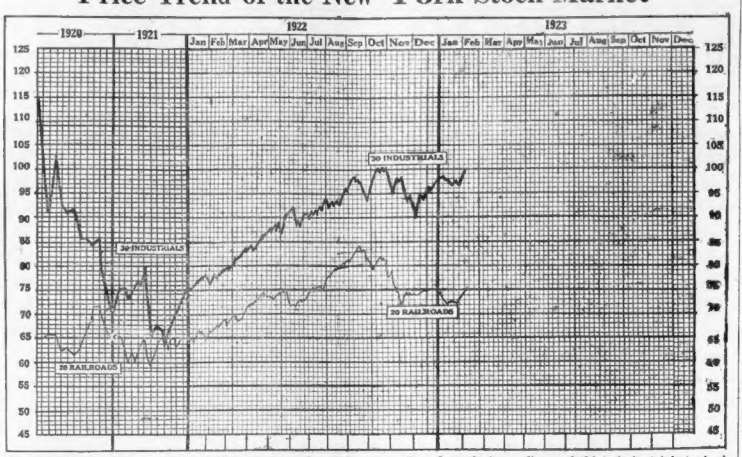
To P. R. G., Boylston street—If U. S. Worsted's present plans work out, it ought eventually to prove a paying proposition, although even then the seventh son of a seventh son with proverbial abilities at prophesying its future would find far with absolute certainty.

The new U. S. Worsted Corporation will be conservatively capitalized and will start off profitably with a net working capital of $4,600,000, in place of a net deficit in working capital of about $2,500,000 as shown by the latest available balance sheet. No official earnings for the year 1922 have as yet been published, but it is estimated that the company will show about $700,000 after all charges, except interest.

Interest charges of the new corporation are estimated at about $268,000 per year, so on a basis of 1922 estimated earnings, there would be a balance remaining of $432,000 available for first preferred dividends, against annual requirements of only $150,000.

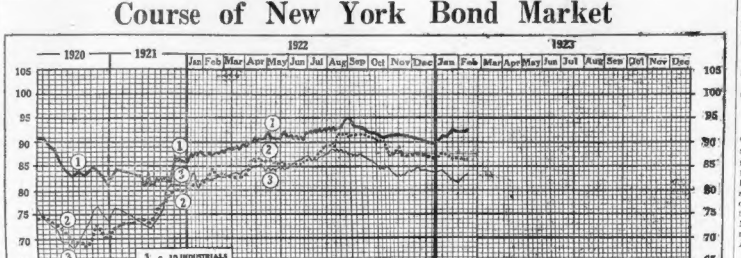
Promoters feel that this company can report satisfactory earnings under normal conditions and believe that it is for the interest of the stockholders to participate in the reorganization by subscribing to the new securities.

Price Trend of the New York Stock Market



The graph shows the fluctuations in the average prices of twenty railroad stocks in one line and thirty industrial stocks in the other since January 1, 1920. Fluctuations during 1920 and 1921 are revealed by months, and since January 1, 1922, by weeks.

Course of New York Bond Market



The graph shows the fluctuations in the average prices of ten railroad, ten industrial and five public utility bonds since January 1, 1920. Fluctuations during 1920 and 1921 are revealed by months, and since January 1, 1922, by weeks.

Boston Notes

UTAH Copper has encouraging prospects of larger dividends with increased production.

UNITED Shoe merger is practically certain to result in substantial increases in profits. The last company and Fast Color Eyelet Co. are perhaps largest and most important and presumably will contribute most to augmenting of surplus.

AMERICAN Smelting's treasury condition is excellent; "net quick" is over $45,000,000 and no bank loans.

ISLE ROYALE'S production for nine months mine was in operation in 1922 was close to 7,000,000 pounds, and outlook for 1923 is most encouraging.

BOSTON & Albany closed 1922 with surplus over rental and other charges of $1,477,593, representing profit to New York Central on operation. This contrasts with deficit of $1,351,493 in 1921 and deficit of $1,034,455 in 1920. Surplus in 1918 was $2,751,596.

NEW CORNELIA, with present large working capital and with prospects for bettering copper prices, should be able to complete all its expansion work without additional financing.

MEXICAN Seaboard's development work that has been conducted on several large tracts of land has reached interesting stages, especially in Cacalilao and Agua Nacida fields.

ATLAS TACK'S net tangible assets, including net quick, are reported as over $30 a share, price round which the stock has been selling.

SURPLUS for 1922 was equal to $8.34 per share on American Hide & Leather's $12,546,300 preferred stock, on which the accumulation of back dividends amount to over 12% per cent. and which now sells around $70 per share.

NEW YORK CENTRAL pays a cash rental of $2,000,000 per annum, equivalent to 8 per cent. on the $25,000,000 Boston & Albany stock and also pays interest on bonds, rentals of leased lines, taxes and organization expenses.

STEEL GARMENTS NOW USED BY PARIS POLICE

Paris, Feb. 12.—When the Parisian police are sent to arrest dangerous criminals they will hereafter be equipped with a rectangular sheet of steel to protect the face and with armor in the form of overlapping sheets of chrome steel over heavy cloth. This garment covers the front of the body and is capable of defeating a revolver bullet.

COLUMBIAN LIFE INSURANCE CO. FLOURISHES

The annual statement of the Columbian National Life Insurance Company, which began business in this city under its Massachusetts charter nearly twenty-one years ago and which now operates very generally throughout the United States, continues to reflect steady growth in all departments.

As of December 31 last, the admitted assets of the company, valued on the requirements of the Massachusetts Insurance Department, were $24,815,227. Its total liabilities were $22,573,569.42, which, with its capital of $1,000,000 and a fund set aside to meet all extra contingencies of $641,657.58, leaves a surplus for the protection of policyholders over and above the premium reserves of $1,641,657.58.

In addition, an amount of $600,000 has been set aside contingently for dividends to participating policyholders.

The paid for insurance in force has now reached $156,159,444 the amount paid to policy holders and their beneficiaries since organization reaching $16,464,200.44.

The Columbian National Life in addition to issuing all modern forms of life insurance has also a flourishing accident department.

President Arthur E. Childs Vice-President and Comptroller Francis P. Sears and Second Vice-President and Secretary William H. Brown are the principal executive officers.

EL GAR'S ORATORIO, NEW TO BOSTON, SUNG

By ZOE FABER

"The Dream of Gerontius" from the text of Cardinal Newman, with music by Sir Edward Elgar, was given yesterday at Symphony Hall by the Handel and Haydn Society under the direction of Emil Mollenhauer. The soloists were Richard Crooks, tenor; Merle Alcock, contralto, and Clarence Whitehall, bass. E. Rupert Sircom was at the organ.

Merle Alcock and Clarence Whitehall are too well-known to lovers of oratorio here to require much comment. Both of the fine voices were heard to advantage although one regretted that Mr. Whitehill did not have more of an opportunity. Of Richard Crooks, it can be said that his voice is a splendid one, which he uses with much intelligence and a great deal of effect.

Wall St. Gossip

SUBMARINE Boat Corporation report for 1922 will be delayed until April. Present estimates indicate earnings from construction and repair work on submarines more than offset losses from shipping and allied activities.

NEWTON STEEL, after paying 1922 common dividends, showed surplus of $351,394.

NILES-Bement-Pond Company, tool makers, show net loss for 1922 of $3,993,460 after expenses and taxes, compared with net loss in 1921 of $2,737,434.

CRUCIBLE Steel's next directors' meeting comes March 8. Many are bullish on the issue, while others recall past disappointments.

GULF States Steel is said to have shown earnings in January of $2.50 a share.

ANNUAL reports of American and Baldwin Locomotive Companies will be issued soon. It is expected American will show net earnings for stock slightly under $1,000,000 and a deficit after dividends of about $2,300,000.

LIMA Locomotive is expected to show a substantial balance to surplus after payment of dividends.

BALDWIN'S earnings for 1922 are estimated to have more than covered the $7 a share dividend on its 360,000 shares of common.

JANUARY sales of Metropolitan 5 to 50-Cent Stores, Inc., were $426,761, increase of $103,034 over year ago.

MONTGOMERY Ward accumulations of 7 per cent. on preferred were cleared off at end of last year and regular payments have been restored, which opens way for resumption of dividends on Class A shares.

CONTINENTAL Can Company, Inc., for 1922 shows surplus after depreciation and Federal taxes $3,181,403, equivalent after preferred dividends to $7.97 a share on 360,000 shares no par common, against $511,004, or $1.75 a share in 1921.

GREAT NORTHERN continues to better 1922 results. Estimated January gross of $8,627,411 was increase of $2,730,407 (46 per cent.) above January, 1922.

CERTAIN-TEED'S January orders were approximately 60 per cent. over corresponding month last

HARDING'S SHIP SUBSIDY FACES TEST VOTES

Washington, Feb. 12.—(By International News Service)—The administration's ship subsidy bill today entered the closing stages of the long fight for its enactment.

Obstacles faced the measure in the form of test votes, which must be passed in the next two or three days to insure its passage by the present Congress.

One ray of hope appeared in a report that "farm bloc" Republicans hitherto opposed to the bill, would support it if it were amended to subsidize only cargo ships.

This amendment, however, is not favored by Democratic opponents.

The latter declared the measure would have to be limited to a single year before they would permit it to come to a final vote. This would eliminate the 15-year contract provided in the Bill. Announcement by Senator Jones, Republican of Washington, in charge of the Bill that he would request unanimous consent to limit debate after Friday, stirred the Opposition. It was conceded this would be refused and Jones may force a test vote by putting his request as a formal motion.

Democratic opponents, led by Senators Robinson, of Ark., and Fletcher, of Florida, meanwhile planned another test vote today or tomorrow on a motion to recommit the Bill. A third assault probably will come when "farm bloc" Republicans led by Senator Capper of Kansas, move to take up the "Truth in Fabrics" Bill." Success for any of these Opposition moves may spell defeat for the Shipping Bill.

U. S. TOBACCO FIRMS SEEK FRENCH CONTROL

New York, Feb. 12.—Percy S. Hill, president of the American Tobacco Company, who recently returned from France, is taking a prominent part in behalf of leading American tobacco companies for acquisition of the French tobacco monopoly. Mr. Hill, it is learned, will become the chief business manager of the new enterprise.

It is also learned that the American tobacco companies are not negotiating with the French government, but with French financiers who, in turn, will negotiate with the French government.

IRENE BORDINI SCORES BIG HIT IN RECITAL

By ZOE FABER.

"Even if you close your eyes, you wont think that it is Galli-Curci singing—but, at zat, I am not apologizing for what I am going to do, for I think you will like—I hope so!" With this little speech did Irene Bordini set her audience on the right trail as to what she could and couldn't do at a concert in the Tremont Theatre. A flashing smile from her brilliant eyes and parted lips put her in exactly the spot she wanted you.

In a costume that not one woman in a million would have attempted (it takes French airs and good looks), Mlle. Bordini started out with a group of French songs which were sketches of the interesting types that haunt the boulevards of Paris. In the twinkling of an eye the particular essence of the type she wished to portray, whether it be a man, mad over a woman and resenting her power over him, or the little up-and-coming "gamine" of Paris, who has not a job and wishes to move out of the slums to better quarters until she discovers all the restrictions—whereupon, with an inimitable shrug she says that "down in my quarters, we don't give a whoop"—came to the fore.

Turning to the Spanish, Mlle. Bordini donned a costume of effective white lace with high comb and other outstanding properties of the type. There is no denying that she can do them all, French, Spanish and even English—with a broken fringe of fascinating accent.

At the piano was Burton Brown who, between whiles, played two groups of solos.

GEN. BREWSTER PINS WAR MEDALS ON SIX

For unusual initiative and marked efficiency, which contributed to the successful stand of the 104th Infantry at Apremont, France, April 1-13, 1918, Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred F. Foote, commissioner of public safety, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, was decorated today with the distinguished service medal by Major-General A. W. Brewster, commanding the First Corps Area, at Army Base, South Boston.

Medals were also awarded Lieutenant-Colonel Emery T. Smith, of the 106th Field Artillery, 27th Division; Lieutenant-Colonel Hamilton R. Horsey, Infantry, Officers' Reserve Corps; James A. Cavanaugh, Norwalk, Ct., corporal, Co. D, 102nd Engineers; John T. Comerford, Brookline, formerly captain of the Machine Gun Company, 101st Infantry; Colonel William E. Horton, quartermaster of the First Corps Area, and Brigadier-General J. W. Ruckman.

JOHN C. THOMAS IN PLEASING RECITAL

By ZOE FABER.

John Charles Thomas, baritone, well known to Boston, gave a recital before a large audience at the Opera House. At the piano for the singer was William Janaschek, who played exactly the right sort of accompaniments.

Mr. Thomas followed the beaten path of an Italian, German, French and English group of songs. The Italian songs were seventeenth century and Mr. Thomas made them unusually appealing. His voice is a big, powerful, baritone with a big quality of tone in it. The voice and the personality of John Charles Thomas makes him a singer to whom it is a decided pleasure to listen.

GARAGE EXPLOSION WRECKS 70 AUTOS

New York, Feb. 12 (By International News Service).—The explosion of an oil lamp, which a workman was cleaning in the garage operated by Sass Plunk, Sheepshead Bay, started a fire that burned 70 automobiles. The explosion scattered particles of burning oil onto papers and wooden portions of the garage which burst into flames and spread rapidly to the automobiles.

Expert Aid Is Given on Problems of Income Tax

How about settling your income tax problems now? State papers must be in by March 1 and Federal papers by March 15. Services of an expert in accountancy are placed by the Boston American's financial department at convenience of its readers to solve private problems without charge.

Mail inquiries to Attorney Oliver A. Wyman, No. 150 Congress street, Boston. He is one of Massachusetts' leading authorities on income tax details. Send stamped envelope for reply.

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HANCOCK LIFE SHOWS GOOD PROGRESS

The annual meeting of the policyholders of the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company was held today at its new administration building on Clarendon street. President Walton L. Crocker was in the chair.

The present officers were re-elected and George R. Nutter of Dunbar, Nutter & McClennen, attorneys, and Thomas M. Devlin of Devlin Bros., leather dealers, were elected to the board of directors.

President Crocker presented the 60th annual report of the directors summarizing the activities of the past year, as a record of healthy progress and accomplishment. The admitted assets as reported to the Massachusetts Insurance Department as of December 31 last, total $768,075,903.41 representing an increase of $28,582,532.44 over the previous year. The ascertained liabilities being $249,095,384.62 (95 per cent. of this sum comprising the policy reserves) leave unstated surplus assets of $18,980,818.79.

INSURANCE INCREASES.

The new insurance written and placed in force during the year was $250,402,924, or an increase of 13 per cent. over the corresponding item in 1921. This is the company's second best year of writings having been exceeded only in the somewhat abnormal year of 1920. The outstanding paid-for insurance was brought up to $1,668,847,665, or an increase of 8 per cent. over the preceding December 31. The net income, of which $54,879,440.08 was from premiums and $11,983,877.75 from interest aggregated $66,863,317.78.

Payments to policyholders comprised a total during the year of $25,080,474.17. These payments averaged $83,601 for each working day.

After paying a warm tribute to the "well ordered, enthusiastic organization working in effective cooperation" in the Home Office and in the Field, which now comprises approximately 12,200 persons, President Crocker said in part:

HEALTH IS PROBLEM.

"The health of policyholders has increasingly become the concern of life insurance administration in general. Your company has recognized its proper field of activity here and desires to manifest its attitude through the adoption of all practical means of helping to prolong and preserve life.

"As an instance of the company's interest in such matters, there may be mentioned our alliance with the Harvard Cancer Commission and through that body, with the Huntington Memorial Hospital which has been established in adjoining rooms for the study and treatment of cancer.

"As about ten per cent. of the death rate is caused by cancer, which appears to be on the increase, the question is of moment not only financially to the policyholders of the Company but from a sentimental and humanitarian standpoint."

HUB POSTAL CLERKS PROTEST CONDITIONS

A memorial will be addressed to Postmaster-General Hubert Work calling attention to unsatisfactory conditions said to exist at the Boston Postoffice. This was decided at a meeting of Postoffice Clerks' Local 100, National Federation of Postoffice Clerks, held in Hotel Brewster.

A committee, appointed to draw up the memorial, was instructed to bring to the postmaster's attention alleged abuse of civil service regulations, inefficiency, favoritism, outlawed, and many grievances in the Boston Postoffice, which was termed a "madhouse."

GASOLINE PRICES

The upward trend of crude oil and its derivatives is discussed in an interesting article in this week's INVESTOR & TRADER

The increasing demand for gasoline has greatly stimulated and increased production. The effect of these advancing prices in the revenue of a number of Standard and independent oils traded on the New York Curb Exchange is discussed.

This week's issue will also contain a special article on the copper market, late news and developments on many of the active issues.

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TRAVEL BRIEFS
NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL

Practically every railroad executive in New England, as well as the traffic managers of all of the more important industrial organizations, will attend the twelfth annual banquet of the Traffic Club of New England at the Copley-Plaza on Tuesday evening. Over 600 reservations have been made. A reception will be held in the foyer at 6 p. m. Dinner will be served in the ball room at 6:30 p. m.

The announcement that William Benson Storey, president of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway, better known as "The Santa Fe," will speak on "The Transportation Act—1920" has been a big factor in arousing the unusual interest manifested. As president of the Santa Fe, Mr. Storey is the active head of one of the greatest railroad systems in the world with a total of 11,707 miles of track extending from Chicago to the Pacific Coast; from Denver to the Gulf of Mexico and to the Mexican border and operating in thirteen States. He is recognized as one of the really outstanding figures in the railroad world.

Mr. Storey is the second president of the Santa Fe system since its reorganization in January, 1896, having been elected to that position upon the retirement of E. P. Ripley on January 1, 1920. Born in San Francisco on November 17, 1857, he entered railroad service as an axeman, working his way up through the ranks until in 1895 he was appointed chief engineer and general superintendent of the San Francisco & San Joaquin Valley Railway, which was purchased in 1900 by the Santa Fe and renamed the Valley Division. From 1900 to September, 1906, he was chief engineer of the eastern lines of the Santa Fe at Topeka, when he was promoted to chief engineer of the system with headquarters in Chicago. In 1909 he was made vice president in charge of construction and a year later his jurisdiction was extended to include also the operating department. From July 1, 1915, to January 1, 1920, he was federal manager.

Dr. Willard Scott, who will talk upon "Ideals and Economics," will be the other speaker. Entertainment will be provided by the Suwanee River Quartet; Miss Clara K. Leavitt, contralto, and the Colonial Singing Orchestra.

FLORIDA TRAFFIC HEAVY

The rush toward Florida continues to amaze transportation men, who had been expecting the traffic to slump really before the month owing to the unusually heavy exodus in November and December. Proof that more people than ever are going to Florida is seen in the fact that on Saturday last five solid cars of Florida business left the South Station. During the week several additional cars will be put on to augment the regular through service.

J. A. Hauser, New England passenger agent of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, reports the largest volume of Florida business ever handled by the local office, and states that reservations already booked indicate continued heavy traffic for the balance of the month.

ON CARIBBEAN CRUISE

Among the passengers who sailed from New York Saturday on the Ulua of the United Fruit line for a twenty-three-day cruise to Cuba, Jamaica, Panama and Costa Rica were the following Bostonians: Mr. and Mrs. N. Stone, Lester Stone, Medford Stone, Mrs. J. L. Valentine and Miss J. Valentine.

WILL HOLD TRAVEL SHOW

Plans are being made for a Vacation and Travel Show at Horticultural Hall, March 23 to 31, to be participated in by steamship and railroad lines, hotels and resorts, as well as by stores catering to the vacation and travel trade. Already a number of organizations have secured space. More than 100 exhibits are expected.

Sheldon H. Fairbanks, who managed the recent radio exposition, is in charge of the arrangements.

PIKE'S PEAK HIGHWAY

Beautifully illustrated folders descriptive of the famous Pike's Peak Auto Highway, running through the Pike National Forest to the very tip-top point of Pike's Peak, have been received, and are now available to those interested. Call at the office of the Burlington Route, Room 351, Old South Building, Boston.

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REAL ESTATE HAPPENINGS

Edward F. Cassell has purchased from Israel Kessler and resold to Frank A. Connor the four-story brick Building and 1,494 square feet of land at Nos. 881 to 883 Washington street and Nos. 1 to 3 Warrenton street. The assessed value is $43,900, of which $33,900 is on the land.

Mr. Cassell also has purchased the five-story brick building and 2,477 square feet of land at No. 1747 Washington street, corner of Massachusetts avenue. This property is valued by the assessors at $40,000, of which $14,900 is on the land.

Edward N. Wyner has sold to Edward F. Cassell the property at No. 138 Newbury street, consisting of a four-story brick building and 2,888 square feet of land, assessed for a total of $56,000. Of this amount $16,100 is on the land.

SECOND REAL ESTATE LECTURE

The second lecture in the real estate course being conducted at Boston University, in co-operation with the Boston Real Estate Exchange, will be given this evening at 7 o'clock at the College of Business Administration Building at Boylston and Ipswich streets. Arthur Church at 8 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

James D. Henderson of the firm of Henderson & Ross will be the lecturer, and the topic will be: "Office Organization and Management." The wide scope of the course and the calibre of the lecturers, who are well known leaders in the various branches of the real estate business, has created widespread interest, and the enrollment for the course has been far in excess of expectations.

REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE TO DINE.

A mid-winter meeting and dinner of the Boston Real Estate Exchange will be held at Hotel Lenox on Tuesday, February 20, at six o'clock. The meeting will be devoted to matters concerning the re-organization and future activities of the exchange. Speeches will be delivered by the newly elected president, Henry Whitman, and the three new vice-presidents, Francis R. Bangs, Fred Holdsworth, Howard Whitcomb, the chairman of the Brokers' Board, George R. Read and the chairman of the Building Managers' Association, Arthur N. Madison.

The dinner committee includes Carl Lee, chairman; Frank W. Halloran, Charles E. Howe, Arthur N. Madison, George S. Parker, Frank Parker Purrington, Bradlee Rich, Frank Parker Webb and Reginald M. Hall.

BUSINESS DISTRICT LEASES.

The trustees of the 'Devonshire building have leased the office at No. 193 Washington street, fronting on the street, to Charles Kaufman, who will occupy it as the Boston Tourist Agency and conduct a general tourist business.

Delia A. Malley has leased the store 96-98 Brookline avenue to the Lancaster Tire & Rubber Company for a long term of years. The Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, acting as trustees under the will of L. Miles Standish, have leased the store and basement at No. 262-264 Devonshire street to the New England Florist Supply Company, Incorporated, who will use it for the wholesale florist supply business.

These leases were negotiated through the office of Whitcomb & Company.

RECORD OF TRANSFERS.

The following transfers have been recorded at Suffolk Registry of Deeds, according to the files of the Boston Real Estate Exchange.

E. P. Ladd to V. D. Ladd, Beacon st.
L. W. Case et al. to W. W. Stober, Beacon st.
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W. J. Stober to T. E. Lanreace, Beacon st.
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A. B. Johnson to V. Viola, Parmenter st.
A. B. Johnson to J. B. Hendron, Dartmouth st.
C. Miller to Beacon Real Estate Trust, Inc., Anderson st.
EAST BOSTON.
G. Constantine to M. M. Constantine, Sumner st.
Roxbury.
S. Abbott to J. Abbott, Hollander st.
M. Meserve to A. C. Jones, Greenville and Dudley sts.
DORCHESTER.
H. Charnock to E. B. Charnock, Ryan ave. e.
Murphy to Standard Oil Co. of New York, Neponset av. and Chickatawbut st.
WEST ROXBURY.
G. A. Nagle to W. G. Gibson Woodcrest and Seaton sts.
C. M. Magner to H. L. Hughes, Cornande st.
H. F. Hughes to J. F. Magner, et al.
MATTAPAN.
M. G. Yardumian to M. B. Yardumian, Mecoy ave.
J. J. Meehan to R. Young, et al., Gardena and Hamilton sts.
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Fragiso to G. L. Rogers, Brighton av.
G. L. Kotsos to C. Shapiro, trustee, Bridge av.
H. N. Dix to E. R. Hamilton, Wells st.
A. F. Kenney to E. F. Monohan, Market st.
CHARLESTOWN.
H. Scott to J. F. Donnelly, et ux., Medford st.
REVERE.
M. F. Carson to F. Voci, Hutchinson st., 1st fl., North rd.

PRINCESS WANTS HER SON NAMED "DAVID"

London, Feb. 12.—The christening of Princess Mary's baby will be held in the Chapel Royal at St. James. The Archbishop of Canterbury and the Bishop of London will officiate. The names chosen for the baby include George, Henry, Edward and David, the latter being chosen by Princess Mary as her favorite name.

$50 FOR NAMING NEW RESORT AT NANTASKET

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That is the reward offered by Frank J. McPeak, who has bought the Villa Napoli at Nantasket, to the person submitting the best name for the establishment.

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An outdoor garden of extreme beauty, covering fifteen acres and ample space for auto parking, are among the other features.

Present plans call for the expenditure of $150,000 on the newest show place on the Atlantic Coast.

And to the person submitting the most appropriate title Mr. McPeake will pay $50.

Announcements

DEATHS

ANDRADE—In Cambridge, Feb. 10, Francisco, beloved husband of Rosa Andrade.
Funeral from his late residence, 106 Prescott st., Tuesday, Feb. 12, at 8 a. m. Solemn high mass at St. Anthony's Church at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

BLISS—In this city, Feb. 11, Lucy K. Bliss, in her 89th year.
Funeral services at her late residence, 23 Concord sq., Charlestown, Wednesday, Feb. 14, at 3 p. m. Friends invited.

BROWN—In Roxbury, by accident, Feb. 10, Patrick T., aged 55 years, husband of Ellen Brown.
Funeral from his late home, 319 Columbus av., Tuesday, Feb. 12, at 8 a. m. Solemn high mass at St. Peter's de Sales Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited. Late member of St. Francis' Court of Foresters, No. 1.

BURKE—In Philadelphia, Feb. 10, Harold A. Burke, aged 30 years, beloved husband of Catherine (Lynch) Burke.
Funeral from his late home, 29 Brother, Edmund F. Burke, 54 Dexter st., Medford, Wednesday, Feb. 13, at 9:15 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Ann's Church at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited. Burial at Cambridge cemetery. Motor cortege.

BURNETT—In South Boston, Feb. 10, Dennis J., husband of Mary A. (Cronin) Burnett.
Funeral from his late residence, 550 East 8th st., Tuesday, Feb. 13, at 8:15 a. m. Solemn requiem services at the St. Peter's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Late member of Firemen's Mutual Benefit Association, Boston Fire Department.

CAMPBELL—In this city, Feb. 10, Mary J., wife of Thomas Campbell, aged 83 years.
Services at the First Congregational Church, Everett sq., Tuesday, Feb. 13, at 2 p. m.

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Lost and Found

IF THE PERSON who stole the clothes from an automobile standing in the Boston Tourister Friday, Feb. 9th, will return same a reward will be given. If they do not return clothes, please return keys and checker and receive $5. Any possible case to you. Address COL. JOHN WILLIAMS, Boston Tourister Corps Area, Boston, Mass.

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LOST—Brighton, Oak sq. section, Feb. 6, pocketbook, white enamel, black saddle on back; reward. FINDER REILLY, 11 Brighton av., Brighton.

LOST—Black cut case, marked W. C., in automobile, shed, Nortn Station, Sunday night; reward, Tel. Brookline 252.

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Legals—Auctions

STREET TRAFFIC REGULATIONS
CITY OF BOSTON
In Board of Street Commissioners
January 31, 1923.

VOTED:

That Section 1 of Article 7 of the Street Traffic Regulations be and the same hereby is amended so as to make the reference to Somerset street to said section read as follows:

Somerset street, northerly from Beacon street to Howard street; intending hereby to make said street between the aforesaid limits a one-way street to vehicular traffic.

That Section 3 of Article 7 of the Street Traffic Regulations be and the same hereby is amended by striking out the reference to Somerset street in said section.

To add to said Section 2 of Article 7 the following new sentence:

On Somerset street, from Beacon street to Howard street, between the hours of 9:00 o'clock A. M. and 6:00 o'clock P. M., vehicles shall not stop at either curb except to let off or take on passengers or to receive or deliver merchandise.

JOHN H. L. NOYES.
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RICHARD F. ANDREWS.
Street Commissioners.

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BOSTON AMERICAN

Largest Evening Circulation in New England—February 12, 1923

Number of persons assessed on property in the city of Boston in 1921 was 98,445, or 7,862 more than in 1920.

Lincoln the Conqueror

Abraham Lincoln is one of the supreme examples in history of man's ability to conquer chance and circumstance.

Few men have ever been more adversely born and placed. Rarely has a man risen from such lowly origin and under such unfavorable, unfriendly conditions, to such high eminence.

Never has mere authentic man so speedily conquered the hearts of men. And with the passing years Lincoln extends his beneficent, spiritual conquest.

The reason for this shining success is not far to seek. So simple, however, as almost to escape detection. Merely that he is so commonplace, so much like the rest of us, that he glorifies our common human nature and makes conquest of hardships and attainment of the heights of life seem easily possible.

Our love of Lincoln is largely an *appreciation that leads to emulation.*

Lincoln is just like the rest of us—at our common best.

Lincoln, too, had the supreme quality of life in that he was a Great Lover. The negro is not alone in thinking of him as "Father Abraham." Lincoln *lived love*, was Christ-like in his sympathy with the lowliest.

Therefore, everywhere the people love him gladly. In many a Russian hovel a picture of Lincoln is cherished next only to a favorite eikon.

All America increasingly feels for him precisely this filial kind of affection. Nor is it a vain or vague dream that our nation will duly be guided and unified by the spiritual influence of his American "fatherhood."

Lowell called Lincoln: "New birth of our new soil, the first American."

Lincoln already serves as archtype of countless millions now living and to come—simple, sincere, righteous, reverent, loving, democratic, human Americans.

And so his soul goes marching on!

Mr. Phelan's Home Fires

Everett Morss' Vindication of Fuel Administrator Very Much Like Announcing the Dutch Had Taken Holland.

We cannot understand what Mr. James J. Phelan, Fuel Administrator, expects to gain by appealing to Mr. Everett Morss, City Fuel Administrator, in the controversy between this newspaper and Mr. Phelan concerning the quantity of coal which he had in his cellar, and the justification for having so much coal under the circumstances. Going to Mr. Morss was very much like carrying coals to Newcastle, and Mr. Morss' alleged vindication of Mr. Phelan was very much like announcing that the Dutch had taken Holland.

But there apparently is one thing that Mr. Morss was unwilling to do, or failed to do, and for that at least we congratulate him. This was to get an inspector who would misrepresent what he found in the cellar. Now the inspector found in the Phelan cellar "NINE TONS OF HARD COAL and a considerable amount of wood." The fact there were three tons of buckwheat (hard) coal among the other six tons of larger coal means nothing at all in Mr. Phelan's favor. In normal times when the supply of coal is plentiful, a great many people mix their furnace coal with buckwheat coal. In their opinion it gives a better and steadier fire. The inspector reported that on top of this furnace fire, this fire of HARD COAL, he found some wood burning.

Will Mr. Phelan and Mr. Morss be good enough to tell us what is the object of burning good wood on top of perfectly good HARD COAL? Will Mr. Phelan tell us whether or not the presence of this wood on top of the coal was part of the scenery for the inspector's benefit?

We call also to the attention of Mr. Phelan and Mr. Morss the fact that the inspector does not tell us whether the wood in Mr. Phelan's cellar was a cord or two cords or three cords or four cords. It takes SEVERAL "CONSIDERABLE" amounts of wood, and then some, to keep a big house warm in a New England Winter with wood. "Considerable" does not mean much. It may mean a little pile for starting coal fires, and it may mean several cords. Even a cord would not be considerable if we are going to burn it in the furnace regularly.

While we are on the subject, we want to say that we are rather pleased to be able to call public attention to the fact that the Associated Industries has rushed to the defense of Mr. Phelan and has expressed its profound confidence in him. If the Associated Industries had failed to rush to Mr. Phelan's defense, we should have been quite disturbed, because we should have feared that we might have been mistaken about Mr. Phelan. This sinister organization has been trying to take the place of the railroads and the other public utilities, whose political organizations were very much disorganized during the war, as the invisible government and the source of those undesirable practices which threaten the stability of democratic government.

Do You Buy Europe's Bonds?

You Are Buying Her Troubles

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You are told not to be afraid of buying European bonds "because three or four bankers admit having purchased these bonds for their own account recently." Perhaps they did. More likely NOT.

The same kind of bankers purchased Russian bonds also, for their own account. Don't forget that.

They still have those bonds, and you can get them at a bargain if interested.

And, by the way, some of the banker gentlemen are pretty well loaded up with foreign bonds, underwritten by their own institutions. Perhaps that is why they speak well of them.

There is talk of "conspiracy against foreign securities." France also imagines a conspiracy "to force down the price of the franc." Foreign bankers have got ten or fifteen THOUSAND MILLION francs, say the French newspapers, and they are throwing them on the market to knock down the price.

Anybody that knows a banker, foreign or domestic, knows that one thing he will NOT do is to knock down anything of which he owns ten or fifteen billions. Foreign bonds may prove a good GAMBLE. They are NOT a safe investment.

It's a Gift -:- -:- By T. E. Powers

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A HARD PIG TO DRIVE TO MARKET

"I CAN NOT PAY FRANCE, WHAT SHALL I DO?"
"OH, THAT'S ALL RIGHT FOR GET IT—!! WE WILL ALL CHIP IN AND MAKE IT A DUTCH TREAT!"
FRANCE
THE WORLD
YES?
NO;
"GERMANY WILL TELL THE WORLD!"

SO YOU'RE AGIN IT EH' SKIPPER?
'BAH! WHY DONT THEY DREDGE TH' CHARLES RIVER. I COULD SELL A MILLION CASES IN NATICK IF THE SOUNDINGS WAS RIGHT FOR MY BOAT'
BOOTLEGGERS
NOT IN BOSTON NOT YET!
I'M FREE WHO'LL HAVE ME?
FREE BREAD IN CHICAGO BECAUSE OF RIVALRY BETWEEN CHAIN STORES.

A TERROR OF LITTLE THINGS

By Dr. Charles Fleischer

AJAX defying the lightning has his counterpart in the average of us.

That mythical hero, unafraid of the thunderbolts of Zeus, becomes real in many of us who are ready to show magnificent heroism in the face of the greatest danger.

And then "fall down" in holy terror before some simple trial of our courage.

As, for instance, a woman will accept splendidly the pains of labor, and quail in foolish fear of a harmless little mouse.

True to her sex—and all of us human for that matter—was Martha Miller of the American Museum of Natural History.

Back from spending eight months in Darkest Africa, where lions, tigers and wild elephants could not scare her, she was to tell her exploits and experiences before the men's club of a church.

It was the first time she had ever faced an audience. The intrepid young woman, who had no fear of wild beasts, fainted away!

On recovering she admitted that she was absolutely terrorized, that she was afraid of civilization and would go back to Africa next Summer.

As life goes on, let the years find you unafraid. Head up always. Be brave in the little as in the large. Do not yield to holy terror any more than you mean to be one.

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Exchange Freak Enriches 'Yank'

PARIS, Feb. 12.—Among the surprises of the exchange is cited the feat of an American who went to the Leipzig Fair from Paris with $9,000.

With the $9,000 he bought 18,000,000 marks, of which he used 5,000,000 marks to purchase goods. Then he changed back into dollars the millions remaining. Between times the mark had bettered in price as a result of the rumored American loan to such an extent that the American, for his 13,000,000 marks, obtained $8,230.

Then he left Germany, taking with him $250 more than he went there with besides merchandise worth 5,000,000 marks.

THE VOICE OF NEW ENGLAND

No Attention Paid to Anonymous Communications

Gow Ought to Know

Editor Boston American:

I observe that Charles R. Gow, sympathizing with Coal Administrator Phelan, rebukes the Boston American for its coal campaign and allows that big men, if subject to criticism, will quit public offices. Gow ought to know. He is a quitter. He quit cold as member of the old Boston Licensing Board and was publicly rebuked by Governor McCall for saying that the Governor disapproved of "independence in thought and action," in the official conduct of the board. Keep the good work up. We may get some coal. F. A. B.

Brookline.

Hoarding Coal

Editor Boston American:

I read with great interest your report of the hoarding of coal at Mechanicsville and other places. It is so, and yet Mr. Phelan denies it.

Wouldn't it be a good thing if your worthy paper would ask the public to write two letters, duplicates, telling their experience in obtaining coal, sending one to the Boston American for publication and one to Mr. Phelan? M. B. BALCOMB.

Use the Government

Editor Boston American:

If the government demands that railroad companies deliver coal daily to any part of the United States it will be done. They would repair their crippled engines and broken cars, and the coal situation would be relieved very quickly.

Amherst. G. A. SHAW.

Indignation

Editor Boston American:

Believe me, we on good old Cape Cod are some delighted to have you get back at the fuel administrator. If the facts concerning the severe colds suffered by little children, to say nothing of those endured by adults could be made known to the public, it might cause riots. That a public official should openly boast of, and gloat over his own immunity to freezing weather, while tender children and aged men and women suffer, is enough to cause the publics indignation.

A FEMININE VOICE FROM ONSET BAY.

In the Business

Editor Boston American:

Can you tell me why a man is appointed fuel administrator who has an axe to grind or is interested in coal? If he is a large dealer in soft coal, is it not human nature that he would try to force New England people to use soft coal?

F. G. HAWES.

THE HELPING HAND

Do Not Inclose Stamps. Letters Will Not Be Answered Personally

Bob-Tailed Cat

Editor Helping Hand:

I have a nice female bob-tailed cat one year old that I will give to someone who would be good to her and give her a good home. Please send me the address of the lady who has the use of one hand who would care for a child.

M. A. T.

ED. NOTE — The address of Miss S. M. will be forwarded you.

Books for J. L. R.

Editor Helping Hand:

Please send my address to J. L. R., for I have the book he was asking for, and I would be glad to send it to him.

MRS. C. M. G.

ED. NOTE—Your address will be forwarded to J. L. R.

Puppy to Give

Editor Helping Hand:

If Edna will communicate with me, I will see that she gets a nice puppy, black and tan, six months old, male. A. B.

ED. NOTE—Edna has been supplied with a dog, but there have been many other requests for dogs that have not been supplied. Shall I send your address to one of these?

Pieces of Cloth

Editor Helping Hand:

I have pieces of cloth for the little girl of twelve if you will give me her address.

MRS. A. C. A.

ED. NOTE—Her address will be forwarded you.

Husband Left Her

Editor Helping Hand:

Is there anyone in your column who would give a young mother and baby a home for doing housework or taking care of children? My husband has left me.

MRS. E. M. D.

Wants to Adopt Child

Editor Helping Hand:

We would like to get a child around three years old to adopt if possible. We live in the country and we would be very glad to have a child to adopt. We would prefer a boy. MRS. K. W.

WORDS FROM THE LIPS OF WISE MEN

MEN of mettle are made between the hammer and the anvil.

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The well-spring of our best thoughts is in the heart.

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A wise man is never less alone than when he is alone.

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Actions measured by time seldom prove bitter by repentance.

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Antiquity cannot privilege an error, nor novelty prejudice a truth.

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Confidence is the companion of success.

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To be content with little is true happiness.

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How cheap
Is genuine happiness and yet how dreary
Do we pay for its base counterfeit!

—J. N. Baker.

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He that intends well, yet deprives himself
Of means to put his good thoughts into deeds.
Deceives his purpose of the due reward.

—Beaumont and Fletcher.

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Fame is a coy goddess that rarely bestows her favors on him who seeks her—a phantom that many pursue and but few overtake.

Japan Strong in Siberia

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—Ever-active Japanese are overrunning the Pacific coast of Siberia, gobbling up tremendous fishing interests and establishing a foothold that cannot be shaken, declared Alexander M. Smith, "man of the Arctic" and member of the New York Explorers' Club, following his return from Siberia.

Illustrative of the encroachments of Japanese in Siberia, Smith declared:

"I saw, as I traveled the coast of the Okhotsk Sea, one Japanese fish cannery for every mile over a distance of eighty miles, and I saw at each of these eighty canneries from three to five thousand Japanese.

"And in Soviet cities I saw Russians respect Japanese and display disrespect for Americans and other white people."

THE RUNAWAY MARK EVEN FRIGHTENS LENINE

By Herbert Kaufman

THE mark has jumped over the moon, carrying cow, dish and spoon with it.

A fair pre-war fortune is hardly a dinner tip in Berlin this week.

Twelve paper mills and thirty-three printing plants are turning out forty-five billions of stage money daily.

The spectacle even sobers Russia. Lenine informs the world that his people are too busy with their own troubles to share neighboring bankruptcies. *Similia similibus curantur*—one extreme cures another.

German steamship companies, which washed out their obligations awhile back at current rates of exchange, could have saved a pretty penny by postponing that shabby transaction until now.

Reflect where we would be nowadays without a golden anchor to steady our currency in the flat flood sweeping all values from the map.

The same flood is bearing strange company here. America is crowded with Dukes and Princes and lesser fry—bringing their incomes to the promised land—the land of the almighty dollar.

Confiscation Is a Poor Miner

Dollars can buy almost everything—except coal. France is short of fuel, too. Even bayonets fail to produce it. She can't operate essential industries because of empty bunkers. Confiscation has thus far proved a poor miner.

Germany, protesting economic vivisection, is delivering nothing, paying nothing. So Paris, to meet national budgets, must find new sources for taxes and keep increasing them as francs are cheapened and bonds are devalued in the hopeless circle of inflation.

Wars are more easily made than repaired. So are rows.

The Ruhr adventure has degenerated into a sullen stalemate, a campaign of blockades, sabotage and reprisal.

An inglorious anti-climax to years that flowered with the proudest courage that ever saddened and gladdened the heart of God.

Now Europe is a shabby bailiff's court and a desperate gambling table piled with meticulous I. O. U.'s and shrinking loaves and old folks' savings and the cherished expectations of their children.

Homage to Mary's Child

Meanwhile the Turk bares his broken teeth and threatens the powers with summary action if they do not evacuate Smyrna waters.

Sheer snarl, that. The empty gesture of a politician to appease an ignorant, uninformed people.

Kemal is resourceless before the allied fleets and impotent under their flying bombs.

Britain would rather not fight. The Suez Canal and the high stakes beyond may permit no choice, however.

But for one loyal day England forgets all this. The magic of a baby's gurgle drowns even war murmurs, as the nation pays homage to Mary's child.

Strange Happenings in the Air

Lamar, the wolf of Wall Street, escapes arrest in his secret plane. What a plot for Nick Carter.

Brazil and New York are joined at last—a bridge of six thousand miles and one hundred hours. Jules Verne could not even contemplate such possibility.

A man and a woman snow-bound on a mountain top call through a wire and food straightway comes tumbling from the skies. Aladdin would never believe it! The slave of his lamp *wasn't* gasoline.

Miss Sire Tells an Incredible Story

Senator Cotillo, in a bill just offered in the New York Legislature, protests against another sort of vivisection.

A Miss Lillian Sire, claiming to represent responsible groups, is behind the measure.

In an interview, which reads like raving grand guignol drama, she asserts that babies have been innoculated with scarlet fever pus; cancers grafted on living beings; men, women and children subjected to mutilating experiments in "various foundling homes, asylums, protectories, almshouses and other private and public institutions."

Miss Sire must understand that such a tale will be generally regarded as a tissue of hysterical imagination or malignant fanaticism.

Here we have the most atrocious attack ever made upon a revered and sacred profession.

It is an assault delivered at the very foundations of civilization.

If a tittle of the accusations embodied in the Cotillo measure are even tinged with truth, the lady and the legislator are out of time and place.

Public safety and the clean, fair name of medicine and philanthropy require them to lay information before criminal authorities and procure general indictments for homicide and mayhem.

Wealth and Position Didn't Save 'Em

Justice itself and the four LaMontaigne brothers, polo players and prominent in the smart set, were on trial yesterday. Justice was vindicated and the LaMontaignes convicted—of bootlegging and tax frauds.

Popular opinion convict them as well of violating the decency which prohibits a gentleman from exploiting his social status and using his club as a rum-selling base.

Bar association officials suggested that the high position of the defendants, "steeped deep in the best American tradition," should mitigate their punishment.

Judge Winslow's answer was, fines and jail sentences.

He answered quite a few soap box orators at the same time.

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